TODAY'S EDITORIAL LEADERS APPEAR ON PAGE 14

The China Press

大陸報

No. 3826 Vol. XIII. Registered at the Chinese P. O. for transmission "with special marks privileges in China" 甲子年正月十七日 SHANGHAI, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1924 大正十三年二月廿一號 第三種郵便物認可 10 CENTS

Japan's Finances

Success Of Loan Position Is Good Trade Balances

BY OUR FINANCIAL EDITOR

The extraordinary success that has attended the floatation of the Japanese loans on the London and New York markets, described by the Times as the "greatest foreign loan success in recent years," is certain to get the wind up of the Japanese people who took objection to the high rate of interest offered participators. It should not be concluded that it was the high rate of interest that has attracted the investors, although this has been to an extent responsible for the oversubscribing of same. A greater consideration was the soundness of the security, the credit of the Japanese government standing very high in Europe and America. Japan has at all times been very punctual with payments of interest and the redemption of maturing loans, and in this respect she is in a different street than China. The Japanese government had to offer attractive terms to make the bonds a good investment profit, and this is clearly reflected in the premium they are just now commanding. It is doubtful whether a lower rate of interest would have induced so many people to invest their money in the issues. It is not improbable that the old bondholders have en bloc merged their holdings in the new loans to which they had priority, and this has consequently reduced the amount available for public subscription.

"The New York Journal of Commerce," commenting editorially on the floatation of the Japanese loan in the United Kingdom and the United States, has been warning Americans against extending credits to Japanese firms, for it sees grave danger of a boom resulting from the issuance of the Japanese loans. This would seem to be an exaggerated fear, for Japanese bankers are very wary and demand very sound securities. It is a mistake to be scared at the prospect of such large sums going to Japan, for the slump has shaken off speculators in that country and solidified the ground. The development is expected to be normal and there is nothing so far to indicate the advent of a boom in Japan. Quite likely some of the Japanese markets will become more lively along with the progress of reconstruction work and the growing prosperity of the industries supplying reconstruction materials.

POSITION GOOD

The financial position of the country is not one that should make the people pessimistic. Coming out of the Great War with a debt of less than 2,000 million gold dollars, Japan was not under the necessity of imposing burdeasome taxes. The debt amounted to only $23 per capita in comparison with a British debt of G.$730 and an American debt of $214. If to this were added the total loss from the earthquake, the financial burden placed on the Japanese people would not exceed 3,000 million gold. Japan's national debt, domestic and foreign at the end of last year stood at yen 3,852,164,393, and compared with the figure for the previous year, it showed an increase of about 130 million yen. Japan's national debt figures for ten years ending last year are interesting and are thus:

	Domestic Loans Yen
1914	1,026,279,028
1915	1,021,468,203
1916	1,097,464,527
1917	1,156,984,752
1918	1,211,620,476
1919	1,482,022,201
1920	1,686,744,850
1921	2,149,323,376
1922	2,363,140,475
1923	2,531,539,575

	Foreign Loans Yen
1914	1,514,839,663
1915	1,485,199,001
1916	1,384,853,414
1917	1,348,587,032
1918	1,321,627,364
1919	1,311,137,726
1920	1,428,293,532
1921	1,362,370,446
1922	1,355,973,228
1923	1,320,624,818

The unfavorable balance of Japan's trade is frightening some of the economists in that country. Last year's foreign trade showed a decrease of 13 percent in exports and an increase of 5 percent in imports compared with previous year, resulting in an excess of imports over exports to the amount of 530 million yen. This is the biggest excess experienced in Japanese trade, although since 1921 the trade of Japan has been registering big excesses of imports over exports. During the six years following the Great War Japan succeeded in

(Continued on Page 4)

Weather

Cloudy but rather fine weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 53.1 and the minimum 32.5, figures for the corresponding day last year being 40.6 and 34.9.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Pres. Jefferson, Feb. 25.

FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. E. of Asia, 2 p.m. Saturday.

FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Khyber, Feb. 26.

FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Antilochus, Feb. 24.

DAUGHERTY DECLINES TO RESIGN IN OIL SCANDAL

Attorney General To Defy Critics In Senate

BROKERS CALLED

Senate Probes Books To Check Stock Dealings

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Washington, Jan. 19.—The special counsel named by President Coolidge in connection with the congressional investigation of naval oil leases, are co-operating with the Senate investigators and will examine the books of a number of New York brokers as a result of information just received that at least one member of the cabinet and several other high officials received tips on the oil market which enabled them to play the market surely and profitably.

It is believed here that Harry Payne Whitney, New York financier, and Edward B. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post and close friend of the late President Harding, and others have information in this connection.

Attorney General Daugherty, despite the avalanche of criticism that has been turned his way since the forced resignation of Secretary of the Navy Denby, today reiterated that he would not resign.

(Exclusive China Press)

Washington, Feb. 19.—At their meeting today members of the cabinet failed to discuss the question of Attorney General Daugherty's resignation.

Officials at the Department of

(Continued on Page 2)

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK FELT AT TSINGTAU

No Damage But Consiaerable Uneasiness Is Reported

(Special to The China Press)

Tsingtau, Feb. 20.—A distinct earthquake shock was felt here at 11:20 o'clock last night. There was no damage locally but considerable uneasiness was caused.

OLD WOMAN SHOT AND SERIOUSLY HURT BY ROBBERS

Armed Bandits Ransack Six Houses In Turn

An old Chinese woman was shot and seriously injured early yesterday morning during a raid by a gang of armed robbers who ransacked five houses, one after the other, in an alley off Connaught Road, just outside the International Settlement.

Six men, four armed with revolvers and two armed with iron bars, forced their way into the house, stole everything of value on the premises, and in leaving fired one shot to frighten the inmates. The old woman, who was in bed, received a bullet in the stomach.

The robbers then went to the next four houses in turn and repeated the performance, firing three shots to frighten the inmates. No one else was injured.

Chinese police from the Jessfield station went to the scene but failed to assist the injured woman in any way so Municipal police took her to hospital in ambulance. At the hospital it was said the bullet had pierced her intestines and that her condition was very serious. No arrests have been made.

SUPPORT FOR DOCK STRIKE IS VOTED BY TRADE UNION

All Organizations In Britain Are Asked To Assist

WORK IN LONDON

3,000 Dockers Still Continuing On Jobs

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 19.—An emergency committee of the Trade Union Congress today passed a resolution congratulating the Transportworkers and dockers on their magnificent stand, pledging the support of British Tradeunionism and calling on all affiliated organisations to assist the strikers.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 19.—Whereas most of the other ports are at a standstill, approximately 3,000 dockers are working in the London docks today, being one-fifth of the normal number. Thirty-two ships are discharging.

RECORD CROWD IS EXPECTED AT BALL TOMORROW NIGHT

Americans To Celebrate Washington's Birthday En Masse

The biggest crowd that has ever attended a Washington Birthday Ball in Shanghai will fill The Ritz on North Honan Road tomorrow night according to tabulations of reservations made last night. The various agencies at which reservations can be made were swamped during the day with applicants in person and by chit, and Mr. Carl Crow, Chairman of the publicity committee, asserted last night that unless Americans who have delayed making their reservations hurry they will be left out in the cold, cold dark all alone.

All final arrangements for the big event of the American community have been completed and everything at the Ritz, the famous dancing palace that will open for the first time when the gay trippers of the light fantastic slide over the floor tomorrow night is in tip-top shape.

A special canopy has been erected so that if by chance bad weather prevails all motor cars will be able to discharge passengers en route for the ball under cover. No motor checks will be used, cars being called by license number, and Mr. Crow also announced that those using hire cars need not retain them as they have made arrangements for plenty of hire cars to be ready for call at any time during the evening.

As a large part of the population of the city has never been inside the Ritz tomorrow night's dance will be a revelation to them of the splendors that were planned for Shanghai before the moral wave of that day swept the Ritz into cobwebs and oblivion. The interior has been decorated especially for the event, using the Washington theme as the central motif, and everything possible to provide for the comfort of the hundreds of guests expected has been done. Because of the size of the Ritz there will be no difficulty experienced even though the crowd does break all records.

MACDONALD NOT IN ILL-HEALTH; WON'T RESIGN

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 19.—Persistent reports that Mr. Ramsay Macdonald is contemplating resigning the Foreign Secretaryship on account of ill-health are authoritatively denied. It is stated that the reports of Mr. Macdonald's ill-health are unfounded.

Attack On Labor Government Is Opened In Commons Debate

FRANCS DROP STILL LOWER; PARIS FEARS MONEY CRISIS

Exchange Rate Down To 105 To The Pound

CABINET ACTS

Produce Exchange At Paris Ordered Closed

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 19.—The French franc today fell to 105 to the £ and the Belgian franc to 125.

(Exclusive China Press)

Paris, Feb. 19.—The Paris police, acting on orders from the Cabinet, have closed the Produce Exchange. The present crisis in the French monetary standard has brought about an increase in prices of foodstuffs, which, it was feared, might threaten public order, and it is hoped that the closing of the exchange may halt further speculation.

New Fight Looms On Electoral Bill

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 19.—Having won the day with the most controversial features of the Finance Bill, namely, authorisation of the government to reduce expenditure by decree and to increase taxes generally by 20 percent, the government is now faced with a hard battle in the Senate on the Electoral Reform Bill.

The Left Democrats, who are the majority in the Senate, oppose the modified form of proportional representation, which was the feature of the bill as it was passed by the Chamber of Deputies on December 6, and demand return to the old majority system, but it is anticipated that many will abstain from voting in order not to overthrow the government on a question which is not regarded as of national importance.

It is noteworthy that Customs dues on goods imported from abroad are exempted from the 20 percent increase in taxation.

Deputies Approve Finance Measures

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 10.—The taxation proposals adopted by the Chamber of Deputies were embodied in Clause 3, which has been hotly debated for nearly a month. The Chamber thereafter got more rapidly to work on the remaining 110 clauses of the Government's Financial Measures Bill passing this morning Clauses 4 to 51, dealing with details of the increases in duties.

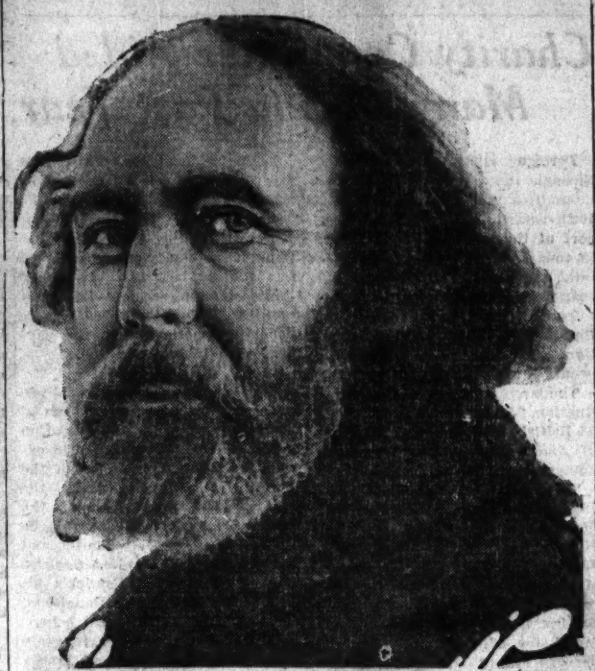
BRITISH PREMIER HEARS CHINESE ON WEIHAIWEI

Early Transfer To China Is His Desire, MacDonald Tells Minister

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 19.—Acting on the orders of Dr. Wellington Koo, the Chinese Foreign Minister, Mr. Chu Chao-hsin, the Chinese Minister in London, today conferred with Mr. Ramsay Macdonald at the Foreign Office and presented the Chinese case with regard to Weihaiwei. China is dissatisfied with the decision of the Anglo-Chinese Commission in that connection, the report of which is before the two governments, China claiming modifications especially concerning Chinese sovereignty, and asks the British government to resume the negotiations. Mr. Macdonald promised to study the question and expressed a desire that the whole matter of transferring Weihaiwei to China should be completed as quickly as possible.

Oberammergau Christus In America



Anton Lang

Anton Lang, world-famous "Christus" of the Oberammergau Passion Play, presented every ten years in the little town in Bavaria, has arrived in New York with the players to exhibit their wood carvings. It is not believed they will act the Passion Play in the United States.

Smallpox Again Prevalent Health Commissioner Says

Smallpox continues unduly prevalent, according to reports by Commissioner of Public Health C. Noel Davis in today's Municipal Gazette. Three cases of the disease among foreigners and 12 among Chinese were reported last week. During January six fresh cases were reported and 14 deaths among foreigners, and 35 deaths among Chinese. In January last year no deaths from the disease were reported.

Nine foreigners and 200 Chinese died of all causes in the International Settlement last week, and communicable diseases were reported as follows: 9 Chinese with typhoid fever, 2 Chinese with scarlet fever, 17 Chinese with tuberculosis, and 3 foreigners and 8 Chinese with measles.

"The state of the public health at the beginning of the year was, on the whole, satisfactory, according to Dr. Davis, the death rate among foreigners being below normal, but that of Chinese slightly above normal.

Smallpox continued to be unduly prevalent. There were 6 fresh cases notified among foreign residents, and 14 deaths altogether among foreigners, 5 of whom were residents of six months and over. Among the Chinese, 35 deaths were reported from Smallpox, compared with none during January, 1923.

"Of the 5 fatal cases among foreign residents, 2 were infants who had never been vaccinated, 2 adults who had not been vaccinated since infancy, and 1 adult unsuccessfully vaccinated 2 years ago.

"Once again it is necessary to urge the vital importance of vaccination and re-vaccination as an almost absolute preventive measure against Smallpox.

"In China Smallpox infection is always present and the Asiatic type of the disease is often so virulent that efficient re-vaccination is advisable every 3 years in order to maintain a high standard of immunity.

Efficient protection and a confident sense of security can only be obtained by vaccination with an active Smallpox vaccine, and the public is warned against the use of cheap vaccine from unknown or doubtful sources.

The vaccine made in the Municipal Laboratory, and guaranteed by the Public Health Department, is obtainable, in a fresh condition, from local chemists, and in quantity from the Public Health Department.

A false sense of security follows the use of an inert vaccine which does not take.

Sometimes the question is asked, "How do I know that I have been successfully vaccinated"?

The indications of a successful "take" were given in a previous

(Continued on Page 5)

ROXAS ELATED BY RECEPTION IN WASHINGTON

Head Of Philippines Mission Sees Good Prospects For Independence

(Exclusive China Press)

Washington, Feb. 19.—Speaker Roxas of the Philippines House of Representatives, head of the Philippine independence mission, in an interview granted to Washington newspapermen today, expressed himself as highly optimistic over the prospects for Philippines independence.

Speaker Roxas said that he believed that there was every reason for confidence in favorable action by both the House and Senate committees which are considering the independence resolutions. He was personally gratified, he said, over the courtesy and cordiality with which the mission was received by government officials.

"The willingness everywhere to give reasonable consideration to our proposals point to our ultimate success," Speaker Roxas said.

The Porto Rican independence mission will be hosts tonight at a banquet to be tendered the Filipino mission.

Shantung Bandit-Land Is Now Quiet And Peaceful

Normalcy once more reigns in the Shantung bandit-lands, according to a letter from a correspondent received yesterday. Outside of the usual small robberies that continually occur, even in times when the crime wave is chiefly noticeable by its absence.

The big band of bandits, formerly under Sun Mei-yao, the chieftan who was executed after being made a Brigadier-General, has been broken up into a number of smaller and much less effective units, from a crime efficiency standpoint.

General Chang Pei-yang of Yenchowfu has been making snappy dispersals of the bandit brethren since he caused Sun Mei-yao to be executed. Sun Mei-sung, his brother, managed to escape with a few hundred robbers upon getting the news. They have some arms, but not all their equipment. Others were disarmed and sent back to their native villages where some of them have since been beheaded.

FORTRESS DISMANTLED

The Temple at which the foreign captives were held for a long period after their capture by the brigands at Lincheng last May, has been broken down by the soldiers as it was considered merely a meeting place for the bandits rather than a religious edifice, and Pao Tzu Ku at the present time cannot be climbed as the soldiers have also chopped away the steps leading up to the hitherto impregnable fortress in the Shantung hills.

Liu, one of the chieftans and Sun, who was well and unfavorably known by the foreign captives at Pao Tzu Ku, has also been executed. He was foolish enough to think the immunity order was really meant and attempted to go to Tsaochuang by train. As he left the train at Lincheng he was captured, imprisoned for a short time in Yenchowfu, and then executed near the Lincheng station as a warning to others who have bandit proclivities.

NOW IN KIANGSU

After such measures it is not surprising that Tsaochuang and vicinity, once front page news for all the world, is now quite and peaceful. The stray bandits who usually gad about the district have now drifted over the border into Kiangsu province, via Ihsien.

Romance, too, has now entered bandit-land.

In one of the large villages nearby there lived a widow of an ex-bandit named Chao Ma-ma, with her two daughters. During the various raids the bandits made they captured a wealthy young man from Kiangsu who, as time passed, fell in love with the bandit girl, who was one of those guarding him. She returned his love and when he proposed that they both escape she assisted him in getting by the lines. Now they are supposedly happily married but the old woman and her other daughter are certain that it was only a ruse on the young man's part and that he will eventually cast her off after having made her the instrument of his escape.

RAISE AMOUNT TO BE GRANTED IN TRADE LOANS

Commons Agrees To Proposal For Increasing Total Funds Under Act

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 19.—In the House of Commons today, moving a series of financial resolutions extending the aggregate of loans guaranteeable under the Trade Facilities Act from £50,000,000 to £65,000,000, Mr. William Graham, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, explained that the resolutions including at least one of the proposals of the Imperial Economic Conference, namely, that authorising the Treasury to guarantee for five years three-quarters of the interest on certain Dominion and Colonial public utility loans, the proceeds of which were to be expended in the United Kingdom.

The resolutions were agreed to without a division.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 19.—The Bank of England invite applications for £1,800,000 5 percent debenture stock, issued at 98½. In respect of which the Government guarantee principal and interest under the Trade Facilities Act. The proceeds are required to pay for a fleet of motor-ships for £1,800,000 ordered from Messrs Harland & Wolff's.

OPPOSITION TO EXPANSION OF AIR FORCE IS ASSAILED

Labor Proposal Held 'Astonishing Doctrine'

VOTE IS DELAYED

Debate Is Postponed Until Estimates Are Received

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 19.—The evening sitting of the House of Commons was devoted to a motion by the ex-Minister for Air, Sir Samuel Hoare, on the question of air defence, in which he invited the House to affirm the principle of maintaining a home defence Air Force of sufficient strength to give adequate protection against the strongest Air Force within striking distance of British shores. He contrasted the British and French services, the former with 100 first-line machines as compared with France's 1,000.

Sir Samuel stated that his resolution followed the lines agreed upon by the Dominion Premiers. It was embodied in a program only costing £5,000,000 to £6,000,000 annually, but was more vitally important to the safety of the country than any other phase of national defence. He asked for an assurance that the Government were anxious to see civil aviation developed.

Mr. William Leach, Under-Secretary of State for Air, replying, stated that there would be no change at present regarding the expansion of the Air Force already planned. He declared that the war had killed the doctrine that in order to get peace you must prepare for war. All nations that prepared most, got most war (Ministerial Cheers and Opposition dissent). The Government would do their utmost to facilitate an international aircraft disarmament conference.

Mr. Leach declared that the legacies of development inherited from the old Government would be fulfilled. They were anxious to foster civil aviation and would encourage the development of airships. In conclusion, he declared that the Army and Navy might repel land attacks but the Air Force could not prevent an air-raid. The only adequate defence was a changed international atmosphere.

Major-General J. E. B. Seely, Liberal Member for the Isle of Wight and former Under-Secretary of State for Air, declared that the House had listened to a most astonishing doctrine which would mean disbandment of the Army and Navy if followed to its logical conclusion, and they must challenge the government upon it (Opposition cheers).

Mr. J. H. Thomas, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, stated that the government's policy was definitely to make the Air Force adequate and, whilst recognising the necessity of defence, realising the Imperial aspects of the question and giving assurance of continuity on the first stages of the program, the government reserved the right to do nothing which would prevent them working for disarmament. He hoped that the house would reject the motion.

The motion was talked out. The Speaker would not accept the closure, which Sir Samuel Hoare moved, because he was of opinion that the debate on a matter of this magnitude in such a short period ought to be resumed when the Air estimates came on.

British Attache Given Audience

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 20.—Captain Colvin, the British Naval Attache, had a farewell audience with the Prince Regent this morning.

RINDERPEST NOW IS RAMPANT IN HONAN PROVINCE

Dread Disease Killing Off Many Cattle; Famine Also Feared

(China Press Correspondence)

Kaifeng, Honan, Feb. 16.—A great calamity has come to Honan in the form of the dread rinderpest which is taking off nearly all the cattle, native and blooded, in most districts. By prompt and scientific treatment some of the dairy herds are being saved. The famous Kaifeng Baptist College herd has so far lost only two of three, thanks to the skill of Dr. Gibbs, lent by the Husbandry Department of Nanking University.

Another calamity is looming in the form of a famine unless we have rain or snow soon. It is very dry and the weather has been so warm all winter that no ice has been harvested. The Chinese say trouble in the form of famine and plague is certain to come.

Your correspondent recently made a trip to Shanghai via Hsu Chow Fu and finds that travel is made much more comfortable as a result of several things of interest to the foreign public.

1.—By a recent joint action of the railroads of China one can buy even a third class ticket from any large city to any other large city with a five days' limit. This simplifies the matter greatly at such crowded change-places as Hsu Chow where one must rise before daylight and stand in a crowd (not in line, mind you) for an hour in order to have the chance to buy a ticket and pressed on his journey.

2.—One can now check his baggage through on above through ticket with manifest advantage.

3.—One can put up for the night in the new Y.M.C.A. Hostel near the station in Hsu Chow. The charge is nominal but the rooms are few. Foreign food may also be had and a good fire enjoyed. Ask for the automobile company (Chi Chek Kong Sau).

M'ADOO BOOM LAUNCHED AT CHICAGO MEET

(Exclusive China Press)

Chicago, Feb. 19.—William Gibbs McAdoo, leading candidate for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency, in a conference with his supporters here today at which campaign plans were discussed, promised that he would immediately take the offensive against corruption in the government, as has been indicated by the Teapot Dome oil scandal, make a fight to repeal the present thrift and tax laws, and lay plans for reforms in the enforcement of prohibition.

Temperance Union To Hear Talk Today By Miss Dingman

The February meeting of the Women's Temperance Union will take place this afternoon in the upper hall, adjoining Union Church.

The chair will be taken at 5:30 p.m. by the President, Dr. Margaret H. Polk. After the usual business has been transacted, songs will be given by Mr. Francis Gill, of St. John's, and at 6 p.m. there will be an address by Miss Mary Dingman, World's Industrial Secretary, Y. W. C. A., on "The Relationship of Total Abstinence to the World's Present Industrial Conditions."

Miss Dingman has travelled in Europe and Australia, making a special study of modern conditions of the various industries and she is well versed in her subject. An interesting and instructive meeting is anticipated. The public, both men and women, are invited to be present. The meeting will close at 6:45.

Deny Agreement To Build Rail Lines

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 20.—The Bureau of Economic Information learns from official sources that the Ministries of Foreign Affairs and Communications have no knowledge of any agreement relative to construction of three railways in North China. No agreement of this nature has been submitted to any Ministry for consideration.

Dr. R. HOLPER, M.D.
French University
SPECIALIST IN VENEREAL, URINARY & SKIN DISEASES
Office Hours: 11-1 & 4-6
or by appointment. Tel. C. 734
18 NANKING ROAD
(Amer-Oriental Bank Building)
45475

LEEDS BRINGS HIS PRINCESS HOME.

William B. Leeds, Princess Xenia & Prince Dimitri

Tired of life in Europe, William B. Leeds, son of the former "Tin Plate King," whose mother afterward became Princess Anastasia, of Greece, has returned to America with his wife, who was Princess Xenia, descendant from the Russian royalty. They were accompanied by Prince Dimitri, a Russian refugee.

Charity Committee Aided Many During Past Year

Foreign applicants for relief through the Charity Organisation Committee numbered 3,435 during 1923, according to the annual report of the organisation published in today's Municipal Gazette. The total number of new cases for the year was 648, exclusive of a number referred direct to the Refugee Registration Bureau for repatriation. The number is made up of twenty-seven different nationalities.

The largest number of cases were Russian, 307 in all, while there were 98 British, 49 Polish, 33 Esthonian, 21 American and lesser numbers among other nationalities.

The incoming Committee, for 1924, is announced as follows: Miss M. Jansen, chairman, Mrs. F. E. Hodges, Mrs. G. Hummel, Mrs. R. Macdonald, Miss F. MacGregor, Mrs. C. W. Porter and Miss G. Ware.

During the past year, the report continues, positions have been found for 32 cases and about 45 persons and/or families have been assisted to leave Shanghai. About 653 lots of clothing (exclusive of those marked for the Refugee Relief Committee, which are forwarded to the Russian Benevolent Society) have been received during the year, and about 1,277 persons and/or families have been furnished with garments from the supply in the Charity Organisation Room.

To prevent over-lapping, no Russian Refugee is supplied with clothing. Every applicant is sent to the Russian Benevolent Society, which distributes on certain days at the Bureau of Russian Affairs. Refugees other than Russians are helped whenever possible from the Charity Organisation stock.

REFUGEE RELIEF

The Refugees have been a source of anxiety throughout the year. By the knowledge gained through contact with other societies, the Charity Organisation Committee was in a position to know last May that the situation of these unfortunate people had become grave. The funds of different organisations, who were giving assistance, were almost exhausted. A meeting was therefore called to which those known to be interested were invited. The Refugee Relief Advisory Committee was formed as the result of this conference. The Charity Organisation Room has been used for the meetings of this Committee and also as its receiving depot for clothing. The room in fact is frequently used by other societies in a similar manner.

As the Refugee Relief Committee had no funds for emigration many applications came to the Charity Organisation Committee for help towards passage money to America. Each case was very carefully considered and when found deserving, appeals were made to individuals and other societies, principally to The King's Daughters, for monetary help. In several cases money was advanced on loan to those who had themselves collected a good portion of the passage money required. It was inevitable that mistakes were made. It is very gratifying, however, to the Committee that nine of these loans are now gradually being repaid. As an instance, a letter was received quite recently from a family who had been assisted with passage in July, enclosing a cheque for $120 to repay their loan of $100 and also to meet two outstanding accounts of $10 each.

TENEMENT HOUSES

Eight flats, called the Tenement Houses, in Dixwell Road, are under the supervision of the Charity Organisation Committee, financed by The Ellis Daughters. These flats are fully occupied at present by deserving families of refugees. So great has been the demand for shelter that the Committee has found it necessary to recommend the renting of two additional Chinese houses, accommodating six families. This has proved a more economical method than the payment of individual rents.

EDUCATION

The Committee has been able to arrange, through the medium of several societies, for the education of 21 children. It would like to express its great appreciation of the special facilities granted by the Shanghai Municipal Schools, the Hebrew Benevolent Society and the Institution of the Holy Family, and to the Ladies' Benevolent Society, to St. George's, St. Patrick's St. David's and The King's Daughters' Societies for their financial help.

It may be of interest to state that the eldest boy of one family of whom the Committee has had charge for some years, has now completed his education, and through the help of several societies has left for Australia to learn farming. A letter has been received from a Mr. Imrie telling of his safe arrival and offering openings to other members of the family.

CENTRALISATION

In order to prevent over-lapping which in many cases exists, a meeting of the various Benevolent Societies was held at Headquarters in April last. Representatives of eleven societies were present when the following resolution was passed: "That a circular be issued to the various Societies and Associations asking them to take advantage, in the administration of their Charitable Funds, of the organisation already existing in the Charity Organisation Society: each Society Association to advise the Secretary of the Charity Organisation of the names of persons helped, together with such details as it thinks fit: provided that any Society or Association may withhold any particular names in its discretion." It is hoped that similar meetings will be held during the coming year.

A number of societies have already acted on the above mentioned suggestion and records are kept of names sent in. Representatives of any Society may thus obtain at once information as to the channel through which applicants have successfully received assistance. Neither the amount nor the nature of the help given is disclosed. The Committee of the Charity Organisation keeps in touch with all cases in receipt of assistance through its efforts, so that any society or association concerned may be informed at once when a case can reasonably be judged to be no longer in need of relief.

The Committee wishes to acknowledge the kindly co-operation of the various societies to whom it applies for assistance and without whose aid work could not be carried on: St. George's, Ladies Benevolent, British Women's, St. Patrick's and sundry societies, The King's Daughters' General Charity, Aged Poor, and Down and Out Funds, and also to many private individuals.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The honorary treasurer's report shows for working account receipts totaling $8,339.79, with a balance in hand December 31, 1923 of $877.99.

Moneys received and disbursed totaled $17,796.19.

The China Press Want Ads OFFICE: No. 17 NANKING ROAD

FIRE INSURANCE
BEFORE RENEWING YOUR INSURANCE
It might pay you to see
Bruce S Jenkins
THE PERSONAL SERVICE MAN AT THE A.A.U.
CENTRAL 8244 15 NANKING ROAD
MARINE PASSAGE BAGGAGE BURGLARY

DISSOLUTION OF REICHSTAG THOUGHT NEAR

Opposition To Stage Fight On Emergency Powers Legislation

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Feb. 20.—The dissolution of the Reichstag is expected next week in consequence of the opposition of the Social Democrats to the Emergency Powers Act in its present form.

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Feb. 19.—German treasury collections during January reached a total of 503,000,000 gold marks as compared with 312,000,000 in December.

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Feb. 19.—Speaking before the foreign affairs committee of the Reichstag, Minister for the Occupied Districts Hoefle dwelt upon the continual demands of the French occupation authorities for the erection of barracks. The German government, he said, is endeavoring to find a means to meet these demands.

Minister Hoefle stated that efforts are now being made to bring back 140,000 Germans who were expelled from the Rhineland and the Ruhr Valley and 15,000 more who were imprisoned, but that so far these efforts had proved unsuccessful. He declared that the conditions of the railroad workers employed by the Franco-Belgian regie are unfavorable.

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Feb. 19.—The dispute between the German and Bavarian governments regarding organisation of the armies of the Reich has been amicably settled. The Reich has met the wishes of the Bavarian government in the matter, but it is stated that the homogeneity of the army and army command have not been interfered with.

Wrigley's Gum
Aids Digestion

Daugherty Declines To Resign In Oil Scandal

(Continued from Page 1)

Justice stated today that Mr. Daugherty did not intend to surrender to his critics in the Senate who have advised President Coolidge to ask him to retire. Mr. Daugherty's opponents, on the other hand, are confident that their advice will be followed by the President.

President Coolidge today conferred with Former Senator Atlee W. Pomerene and Mr. Owen Roberts, whom he has appointed as government counsel to investigate the naval oil leases negotiated by Former Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall and former Secretary of the Navy Denby. It is understood that the President heard the secret evidence on which Senator Wheeler of Montana has asked a general investigation of the conduct of Attorney General Daugherty while in office.

It has been decided by President Coolidge to accept Mr. Denby's resignation as from March 10 so that he will continue to function as the head of the Navy Department for the time being. In the meantime President Coolidge is understood to be looking around for a successor to Mr. Denby as it is said that he does not desire to elevate Assistant Secretary Theodore Roosevelt to the post because of Mr. Roosevelt's connection with the oil scandal regardless of the fact that such connection is extremely distant.

(Reuter's American Service)

Washington, Feb. 19.—Miles Poindexter, former United States Senator from Washington and a candidate for the Republican nomination for president against the late President Harding is being considered as a successor to Secretary of the Navy Denby, according to information obtained from Administration officials today.

(Reuter's American Service)

Washington, Feb. 19.—In order to counteract reports that the business situation has been injured by the oil disclosures, President Coolidge has made known the view that business in the United States generally is in a healthy condition and probably many of the rumours with regard to the oil leases will be discovered upon investigation to be without foundation. Americans, he adds, may look forward to the coming months hopefully.

The Senate Oil Committee's private examination of certain New York stockbrokers, who produced their account-books for inspection, and the continued refusal of Attorney-General Daugherty to resign are the features of today's development of the scandal. The object of the new turn in the Committee's enquiry is undoubtedly to ascertain whether any officials took advantage of advance information regarding the Teapot Dome lease to speculate in stocks.

It is learned from a reliable source that the names of the Government officials whose identity has not yet been disclosed, appears in the books of a certain firm, which the Senate oil committee examined today.

Felgate
For:
PAINTING
DECORATING
POLISHING
FLOOR FINISHING
WALL PAPER
REPAIRS, etc.
Estimates Free
Foreign Supervision to all work
R. H. Felgate & Co.
Ezra Road Tel. C. 6674

A Handsome, Leather-Covered
BINDER
will be given free-of-charge to all New Subscribers, who apply for same, on receipt of their cheque for a year's subscription. Old Subscribers, on paying for a year's renewal, are entitled, on request, to a Binder free-of-charge. These Binders will be found very useful in the home or office. Apply to the Circulation Manager:
THE CHINA PRESS
14, Kiukiang Road

Lane, Crawford & Co., Ltd.
"CHILPRUFE" UNDERWEAR
FOR THE KIDDIES
Guaranteed Thoroughly Shrunk
And Best Value
ALSO FOR LADIES
Lane, Crawford & Co., Ltd.
Telephone C. 960

"What You Waste in Youth Must Be Worked for in Old Age"

Thriftiness in youth means ease and comfort in old age. Wastefulness in youth may mean discomfort and want in the days when the shadows lengthen.

Youth is the time for pleasure, but a sensible, regular savings plan should also be provided for. In the young man's budget, proper allowances can be made both for amusements and pleasure, and for saving.

Even a small amount, deducted from the weekly wage envelope, and put aside in the savings account, will accumulate through the weeks and months and years into a substantial emergency fund. This Bank helps thrifty savers to accumulate money by paying 4 percent interest on all savings accounts, subject to usual regulations. One dollar or more opens an interest bearing savings account.

OPEN A SAVINGS ACCOUNT
THE
AMERICAN-ORIENTAL BANKING CORPORATION
"The Bank of Personal Service"
15 Nanking Road

NEWLY RECEIVED RUBBER SPONGES OF BEST FRENCH MANUFACTURE
PRICE $0.80, $1.10, $2.00
Special Sale on best French Creme "Reine des Creme de Lesquerdien, Paris"
PHARMACIE MODERNE
286/288 AVENUE JOFFRE
Phone W. 3974

--WEST--189--
LOWEST RATES
CLOSED OR OPEN MOTOR CARS
$1.00 For 20 Minutes $3.00 Per Hour
FORD HIRE SERVICE
--WEST--189--

FOR THE
WASHINGTON BALL
SILBERMAN'S
is the only
ADDRESS WHERE YOU CAN GET YOUR COMPLETE OUTFIT

"Arrow" Tuxedo and Full Dress Shirts, 10 Styles, Sizes 13½ to 18.
"Arrow" Semi-Stiff and Dress Collars, 15 styles, in ½, ½ and ¾. Sizes 13½ to 18.
"Phoenix" and Interwoven Dress Silk Socks, Size 9 to 11½.
Full Dress and Tuxedo Silk Waistcoats.
Rice and Hutchins Patent Leather Dress Boots, Shoes and Pumps.
Krementz Full Dress Sets, viz., Shirt Studs, Cuffs Links and Waistcoat Buttons.
Full Dress and Tuxedo Silk Scarves, a full complete Selection to Choose from.
Holeproof Full Dress Silk Gloves
Tuxedo and Full Dress Silk Ties
Stetson Black Tuxedo Hat with Fine Grosgrain Silk Underbrim.
Tuxedo and Full Dress Silk Suspenders,
Etc., Etc., Etc.
SILBERMAN'S
Opposite Astor House
Shanghai's Dress Wear Specialist

FRENCH MAKE MANY ARRESTS AT PIRMASENS

Officials Held Responsible For Recent Outbreak In Palatinate

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 19.—Enquiry has established the complicity and culpability of German authorities on the right bank of the Rhine and participation by local officials in the troubles in the Palatinate. Thirty-four arrests have been made at Pirmasens, including the sub-prefect, the president of the tribunal, a judicial counsellor, a municipal counsellor, and the commissioner and deputy commissioner of police.

The committee appointed by the Rhineland High Commission has decided that the President of the Palatinate Diet shall be solely responsible for public order. Individual, administrative or judicial reprisals against the separatists have been forbidden. The Diet has pledged itself to have no relations with the illegal administration, to collaborate with the French authorities, and to reorganise the administration with the officials remaining in office. The authorities who have been expelled by the High Commission shall remain excluded. The committee instructed General de Metz to see to the execution of these orders and then returned to Coblence.

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Feb. 19.—The Inter-Allied Rhineland Commission has made public a list of well-known citizens of Landau who are to serve as hostages for the security of the life and property of the Separatists. The whole of the townspeople will be held responsible in the event of any further riots.

A French courtmartial at Landau has convicted six members of the factory council there on charges of having organized the Anti-Separatist demonstrations on December 17 last. Each has been sentenced to fifteen years imprisonment.

Draft New Plan To Pay Insurance In Japan Quake Area

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 20.—Whereas the former insurance proposals provided that the companies should pay ten percent of the claims resulting from the earthquake of last September, receiving the equivalent in the form of a subsidy, it is at present understood that the Government are prepared to advance Y. 180,000,000 to the companies in proportion to the percentage of claims each may arrange and is able to pay, whereby the weaker companies will be more greatly assisted.

It is proposed to classify those that insured so that the smaller claimants will receive the most benefit.

The loan will be repayable in 50 years, the interest running on a downward scale from 4-4/5 per cent, according to the amount a company must pay out.

The insurance companies are holding a conference to decide on a possible basis of payments.

Clergy Are Asked Not To Take Part In Italian Voting

(Exclusive China Press)

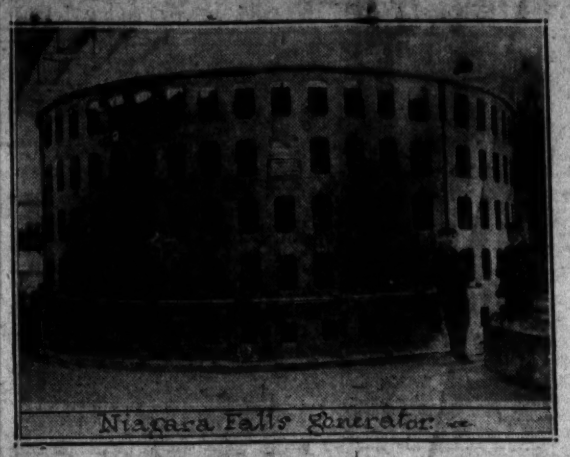
Rome, Feb. 19.—The Vatican has issued a statement urging Italian members of the clergy to refrain from participation in the coming elections.

Canada Objects To Booze Treaty Clause

(Reuter's American Service)

Washington, Feb. 19.—A short delay is likely in the signing of the Illicit Liquor Prevention Treaty between Canada and America in consequence of Canada declining the suggestion that vessels plying between Canada and the United States, carrying liquor, should be denied clearance. It is argued that this is a violation of Canadian law.

WORLD'S GREATEST ELECTRIC GENERATOR



At first glance this might appear to be an immense athletic stadium. In reality it is the stator, or frame work, of the gigantic electric generator installed by the General Electric Company at the Niagara Falls Power Company Plant, just below the falls of Niagara River. It develops 70,000 horsepower and is the world's greatest single generator.

Many Given Honors By Mikado On Empire Day

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 11.—Today being Empire Day (Kegensetsu), His Majesty the Emperor has conferred upon notable men and women, foreign as well as Japanese, honors in commemoration of the wedding of His Imperial Highness, the Prince Regent, and the Princess Nagako.

Among the most notable who were honored are: Baron Saito, Governor-General of Korea, and Prince Tokugawa, President of the Upper House, who have been given the Grand Order of Merit with the Rising Sun and Paulownia.

The Order of the Sacred Treasure, First Class, has been conferred upon Marquis Boku Ei-ko and Baron Okura.

Various honors have been given to several noted business men, including Baron H. Fujita, Dr. Takuma Dan, Mr. Raita Fujiyama, President of the Tokio Chamber of Commerce, and Dr. Eijiro Ono, President of the Industrial Bank of Japan.

Educators have been honored in the persons of Mr. Y. Isobe, President of the Kokumin Gakkai, and Madame Haruko Hatoyama.

A number of well known newspapermen were also honored. Among them are: Messrs. Ryuhei Murayama, President of the Asahi Shimbun; Hikoichi Motoyama, President of the Osaka Mainichi; Ichiro Tokutomi, of the Kokumin; Sutejiro Fukusawa, of the Jiji Shimpo; Motosaza Zumoto, of the Herald of Asia; Hoshiro Mitsunaga, of the Nippon Dempo News agency; Yujiro Miyake, formerly editor of "Japan and the Japanese."

Each of the foregoing were presented with a set of gold wine cups.

Similar gifts were presented to several well-known political leaders, including Mr. Yukio Osaki; Mr. T. Inukai and Mr. T. Taketomi, of the Kakushin Club; Mr. K. Minoura, of the Kenseikai; and Mr. H. Motoda, of the Seiyukai.

The following foreign residents were honored:

Mr. J. Rusell Kennedy, former correspondent for Reuters, Ltd. and General Manager of the Kokusai News Agency, received a set of gold wine cups.

Dr. David Bowman Schneder, member of the Dutch Reform Church of the United States and President of the North Japan College, Sendai, was advanced to the Order of the Sacred Treasure, Third Class.

Bishop John McKim, Bishop of North Tokio until the Japanese diocese of Tokio was formed last year, received the Order of the Sacred Treasure, Fourth Class.

The Order of the Sacred Treasure, Fifth Class, was conferred upon Mr. William Wheeler and Dr. R. B. Teusler, Director of St. Luke's International Hospital.

Among those who received the Order of the Sacred Treasure, Sixth Class, are:

Miss Hannah Riddell, well-known worker among lepers in Japan and founder of the Hospital of the Resurrection of Hope at Kumamoto.

Miss A. Caroline MacDonald, missionary and social relief worker among prisoners.

Colonel Gumpei Yamamuro of the Japanese Salvation army was honored with the Order of the Sacred Treasure, Sixth Class.

Kiyoura Holds Conferences With Religious Leaders

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 20.—Today the Prime Minister and the Minister of Education opened a series of conferences with representative religious leaders aiming at the improvement of the national thought and the uplift of the people's morale, which are declared seriously to have declined since the disaster last year.

The Premier in his address laid stress on the necessity for checking tendencies to mock at faith and to extreme radicalism, which he declared to be totally inconsistent with national ideals.

Today's conferences were attended by Buddhist and Shinto leaders. Christian representatives of all denominations have been summoned to attend tomorrow.

Smallpox Again Prevalent Health Commissioner Says

(Continued from Page 1)

Public Health Report, and are repeated here. They are:

1. The course of the eruption.
2. The general symptoms.
3. The scar.

1.—This, in primary vaccination, that is to say, in a person who has never been vaccinated before, and has not had Smallpox, is always the same and is briefly as follows:

1st to 3rd or 4th days—incubation period—nothing happens.

3rd or 4th day small spots (papules),—round, flat, red and hard.

5th day—spot becomes a bleb (vesicle)—clear and pearl-like.

Bleb becomes surrounded by a red ring of inflammation (areola)—pearl upon the roseleaf.'

7th day—bleb full size and flat top, depressed in middle (umbilicated), contents clear.

8th day—contents yellowish (pustule)—areola larger and may be swollen. Glands in arm-pit enlarged and tender.

11th to 12th day—inflammation subsides, pustule dries, leaving scab which finally drops off.

2.—General symptoms. Usually feeling of malaise; loss of appetite; headache; backache and mild fever.

3.—Scar. First red, later white with little pits (foveations); these are characteristics of the true vaccinia scar. In revaccination, or secondary vaccination, the picture will be the same as in primary vaccination if the immunity has disappeared. If some immunity remains, the course may be shortened (accelerated reaction), or nothing but a small spot may occur within 24 hours (immediate reaction).

In all cases if there is any doubt about the "take," the doctor should be consulted, and if unsuccessful the vaccination should be repeated.

The well-founded claims for vaccination are that:

(a) Duly and efficiently performed it protects from Smallpox as much as that disease itself.

(b) The protection lasts on the average about 7 years.

(c) The protection can be renewed by re-vaccination.

(d) Persons successfully vaccinated on two occasions are usually immune against Smallpox for life.

(e) If a vaccinated person contracts Smallpox, the disease is usually modified, and is much milder than in the case of an unvaccinated person.

(f) The degree of protection conferred by vaccination is most complete when the course of the vaccine affection has been most typical.

(g) Vaccination done immediately after exposure to Smallpox infection will prevent or avert the disease.

Altogether 2,631 free vaccinations were done at the Branch Health Offices.

Three fatal cases of Diphtheria occurred among Foreign resident children. One of them, an Indian child, was admitted in a hopeless condition to the Isolation Hospital.

One case of Scarlet Fever was notified, and three cases of Influenza in one family.

Influenza has been prevalent, but for the most part of a mild type. One death from Influenza occurred among Foreigners. There are good reasons for believing that not only Influenza but also "the common cold," which attacks almost everyone, and often repeatedly at frequent intervals, during the winter months, is caused by a minute organism, belonging to the group of "filter-passers," and that it is most infective during the first eighteen hours of the acute stage.

The infection is spread directly, from person to person in fine infected spray from the respiratory passages, hence the wisdom of avoiding crowded, ill-ventilated buildings and conveyances, and the duty, if infected, of being isolated, preferably in bed, during, at least, the early febrile stages of the illness.

Owing to exceptionally low water, the Soochow Creek became blocked for traffic, so that House Refuse boats had to be sent by way of the Whangpoo River to emergency dumping depots at Yangtszepoo and Pootung.

BELGIAN PRIEST, BANDIT CAPTIVE, FREED, REPORT

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 20.—The Waichiaopu has received a telegram from General Ma Fu-hsiang, the Tutung of Chahar, saying that Father van Praet has been rescued from the bandits and that he safely reached Taliang on February 15.

CHINESE SEEK OVERTHROW OF RUSS AT HARBIN

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Harbin, Feb. 20.—A large crowd of Chinese marched through the streets today bearing banners reading "Down with Ostroumovi Down with the Russians!" They finally surrounded the railway offices demanding an interview with M. Ostroumov, who is General Manager of the Chinese Eastern Railway here, with the intention of informing him that he must resign and quit China. The interview was refused and noisy demonstration followed, but police finally dispersed the crowd.

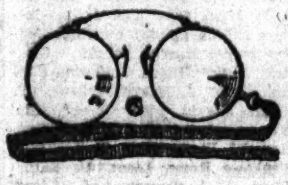
Recognition Of Russ Asked By Peking M.P.'s

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking, Feb. 19.—Mr. Hu Okung, M. P. of the House of Representatives, in the joint names of 85 M. P.'s today presented a draft proposal to Parliament, asking for the unconditional recognition of Soviet Russia. It is noteworthy that instigated by the recognition by several European Powers of the Soviet Government, a movement is afoot among a section of the Chinese people for the immediate recognition of Soviet Russia.

The China Press Want Ads Office: No. 17 Nanking Road

O.I.C.



CONSTANT SERVICE

not just at the time you purchase glasses, but for years afterwards you will find us just as willing and anxious to render the most thorough, painstaking and conscientious service to ensure your complete satisfaction.

Oculists' Institute Co.

OCULISTS-OPTICIANS

49a Nanking Road

C. 8063

O.I.C.

Ad. No. 85

WALK-OVER SHOES for MILADY

She who walks in style wears Walk-Overs.

From the novel tip to the high-cut over arch this Oxford offers something new, smart and serviceable. In Suede and Russia Calfskin.

Walk-Over Shoe Store

24b NANKING ROAD

ST. GEORGE'S

Watch the Future

You'll be surprised.

WHAT IS

WHICHEDOODLE NIGHT ?

WAIT TILL

FRIDAY, FEB. 29

YOU'LL SEE

DEL MONTE CAFE

THE LIVEST SPOT IN SHANGHAI

The Shanghai Portland Cement Works, Ltd.

"Elephant Brand" Portland Cement

The World's best cement is obtained from that world-famous factory, the Holderbank Factory in Switzerland. The "Elephant Brand" cement, according to expert opinion, is equal to, if not actually excels, the Holderbank output—in compression, tensile and other tests.

Both the Shanghai Municipal Council and Consei. d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francais are now using the "Elephant Brand" cement exclusively for all their requirements. Copies of Certificates issued by the Shanghai Municipal Council may be obtained from this Company on application

GET "ELEPHANT BRAND" CEMENT

TOWN OFFICE : No. 3 SZECHUEN ROAD

Telephone Central 7617

RACHALS PIANOS

GOOD CRAFTSMANSHIP NEVER FAILS TO WIN RECOGNITION AND FAME; IT STANDS FOR A MULTITUDE OF SOLID VIRTUES.

ROBINSON PIANO Co., Ltd.

PURE DRUGS PROMPT SERVICE

At the Sign of the EAGLE

EAGLE SPECIAL

For Two Weeks

PARKE, DAVIS' PREPARATIONS

EXTRA SPECIALS

Malt Extract, plain	Per lb.	$1.35
Milk of Magnesia	,, bot.	.75
American Oil	,, lb.	1.75
Analgesic Balm, large tube		1.10
Syrup Coccillana	,, lb.	3.00

THE EAGLE DRUG CO., Inc.

S. HENSHAW JEE, Manager

P-527 NANKING ROAD PHONE C. 7097

And remember—the lowest first cost, the lowest upkeep and the highest resale value of any motor car ever built.

Tls. 1400

Unequaled in Value

Equipped with Electric Starting and Lighting System, demountable rims, extra rim and non-skid tires all around—the Ford Sedan at Tls. 1,400 is the greatest motor car value ever produced—an enclosed car of comfort, convenience and beauty. Reasonably prompt delivery. Terms if desired.

Ford Chassis.

Inspect our special roadster and enclosed bodies built on the sturdy Ford Chassis.

Hudford Motors

Corner Avenue Edward II and Thibet Road

Showroom Telephone . 3804

Service Station ,, C. 5087

RAID ON RAIL FUNDS ORDERED BY WU PEI-FU

Admiral Wen Shu-teh To Draw $50,000 Monthly From Shantung Line

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking, Feb. 20.—At the instance of Marshal Wu Pei-fu, the Chinese Government has of late decided to pay to Admiral Wen Shu-teh a sum of $50,000 per month starting from December of last year out of the revenue of the Shantung Railway as expenses required for the return to the North of the fleet under the command of Admiral Wen and to make the Department of Communications deliver to the Bureau of the Shantung Railway exchequer bonds corresponding to the payment referred to above as well as to lay by a fund for the redemption of the bonds.

The Bureau of the Shantung Railway has already been notified to that effect.

It is learnt on good authority, in this connection, that the above move on the part of the Peking Government will perhaps give rise to a bone of contention as it is considered as affecting the interests of Japan which has interest in the Shantung Railway.

Japan's Finances

(Continued from Page 1)

realizing an aggregate excess of exports over imports to the extent of 1,610,000 yen, but 70 percent was lost during the past three years through the adverse balance of the country's trade.

RESTRICTING IMPORTS

The Japanese Government in its attempt to find a panacea for rectifying the situation is devising means to restrict imports. A country certainly does not grow poor by what she imports. Probably the increase in imports may be due, to some extent, to a rush to get the goods into the country before the duties are once again imposed. Again, there is no means of knowing the "invisible" imports and exports, so that, at best, trade balances based on the naked import and export figures are somewhat misleading. Excessive efforts on the part of the Tokio government to reduce imports will have the effect of interfering with the export trade, as a rise in the price of raw materials resulting from such a course will make finished goods dearer. Business circles are already beginning to speculate as to whether the Japanese government will make an extension of the period, to expire on March 31, for the suspension or reduction of import duties on certain commodities. The items being considered at present are rice, wheat and barley. It is reported that an extension will be made in the case of iron and building materials, sheet glass, cement, bricks, while in provisions, drugs and clothing the period for suspension of duties will expire automatically on March 31.

With a view to ameliorating the present financial situation the Japanese government is considering the question of releasing as much specie as it has abroad and as is possible, under the circumstances, for the importation of commodities of absolute necessity. At the end of last year Japan held specie amounting to 1,153 million yen, a decline of about 127 million yen from August 15 last and of 17 million yen from December 25. The decline is explained by the continued rise in imports which necessitated an increased release of the Japanese holding of specie abroad.

Carlton Theater Presents "Globe Trotters" Monday

The Globe-Trotters, composed of Mr. Dick Norton and a merry band of English entertainers, who are now playing in Hongkong to big houses, will arrive in Shanghai on the Empress of Asia on next Monday. They will open the same night for a limited engagement at the Carlton Theater on Bubbling Well Road with a series of delightful and droll comedies, just from the London stage. Booking plans are already open at the theater.

C 2240
UNIVERSAL HIRE SERVICE
Serves U Right—Day & Night
$1 First 20 Min." $3 per Hr.

MUTT & JEFF -:- A Discussion Over An Object In "No Man's Land" In Mexico -:- By Bud Fisher

(Copyright 1923 By H. C. Fisher, Trade Mark Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.)

SENOR MUTT, I'VE GOTTA HAND IT TO THE MEXICANS! LOOK AT THAT DUMMY MULE IN NO MAN'S LAND— THAT'S AS NICE A PIECE OF CAMOUFLAGE AS I'VE EVER SEEN!
YOU'RE CRAZY, SENOR JEFF!
ANYBODY WITH EYES CAN TELL THAT THAT MULE IS A DUMMY! AS A CAMOUFLAGE IT'S A CRUDE PIECE OF WORK! THE PROPORTIONS ARE ALL WRONG! IT LOOKS LIKE A GOAT TO ME!
MAYBE YOU'RE RIGHT BUT IT LOOKS LIKE A PERFECT IMITATION OF A MULE TO ME, SENOR MUTT!
YOU BETTER GO SEE AN OCCULIST! A BLIND MAN COULD TELL THAT WAS A DUMMY MULE!
SENOR, LOOK!
BAM!
HEE HAW!
SAP!

News Brevities

"Theosophical Tradition" is the title of a lecture to be delivered by Miss D. Arnold at 6 o'clock today, at the hall of the Shanghai Lodge of the Theosophical Society, 12 Rue du Consulat. The public is cordially invited.

• • •

Mr. J. S. Hogg, Comptroller of Peking Union Medical College, will leave Peking for Shanghai in a few days. Mr. Hogg will sail on the Dollar liner President Hayes for the United States via Suez and Europe.

• • •

Miss Marion Neprud, formerly of Shanghai, who has been visiting in Peking, is now in Harbin with her brother, Carl Neprud, formerly of the Customs service here. Miss Neprud is returning to the United States in the near future.

• • •

In a paragraph in THE CHINA PRESS yesterday a line became misplaced which made it appear as though Mr. Junius B. Wood was the "Far Eastern correspondent for The Far Eastern Times". Mr. Wood, the well known correspondent of the Chicago Daily News, left Peking yesterday for America, via Korea and Japan.

• • •

Because of the demand for tickets a fourth and final performance of the A.D.C. production "Dear Brutus" will be given at the Lyceum Theater on Saturday night. Tickets may now be booked at Moutries.

• • •

The regular monthly meeting of the Shanghai Medical Society will be held at the General Hospital at 5.30 o'clock this afternoon.

• • •

Mr. Harold M. Pitt, former President of the Manila Merchants' Association and a well known businessman of the Philippines is a passenger on the President Grant, now in port, bound for Manila. Mr. Pitt has been visiting in Japan.

• • •

Mr. John G. Pidge returned to Shanghai on the Admiral-Oriental liner President Grant yesterday from an extended trip to the United States.

• • •

Miss Lolita Ros, who has been visiting in Manila for several weeks, is returning to Shanghai on the President Jefferson on Sunday.

• • •

Among arrivals from Seattle on the President Grant yesterday were Mr. H. K. Lindout, Mr. A. W. Peake, Mr. Frank E. Pennoyer, and Mr. E. S. Savage of the B.A.T.

• • •

Mr. F. H. Tyson of the Standard Oil Company, accompanied by Mrs. G. B. Tyson and Miss Patricia, are passengers on the President Grant, sailing tomorrow, for Hongkong.

• • •

Mr. H. M. Cavender, agent for the Admiral-Oriental Line at Manila, and Mrs. Cavender, are passengers on the President Grant for the Southern port.

• • •

The Amateur Dramatic Club of the Shanghai Public School for Girls is giving a children's matinee performance of "Quality Street" on Saturday, at 3.15 p.m., at their School, 18 B. Yu Yuen Road. Admission 30 cents. There will also be an evening performance on Monday, February 25th at 9 p.m. admission $1.00. As the proceeds are to be devoted for the Benefit of the Dramatic Club and the School Library, it is hoped that the play will be well supported. Tickets may be obtained at the door.

• • •

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Marsh were among those who sailed for England on the s.s. Morea. Mrs. Percy Lavers also left for a visit in Hongkong.

• • •

Members of the General Committee for the United Services Association were named as follows at the annual meeting: Major Reader Harris, Mr. A. J. Griffith, Major Hilton Johnson, Captain R. M. J. Martin, Lieut. T. Addis Martin, Lieut. E. H. McMichael, Capt. H. E. Middleton, Rev. W. W. Robbins, Major O. S. Benbowe Rowe, Lieut. H. Sutor, Lieut. J. A. Turner, and Lieut. H. J. West.

• • •

Miss Edith Avison, who has been in Hankow for some time, returned to Shanghai on the s.s. Kutwo.

• • •

Mr. John S. Lee, whose verses on Chinese subjects have won him considerable recognition in American magazines, arrived from Wuhu on the s.s. Kutwo.

• • •

The second monthly meeting of the China Society of Science and Arts will be held at 445 Avenue Joffre on Saturday at 5 p.m. when Dr. Herbert Chatley will speak on "The Mystery of Cohesion" and Mr. Jabin Hsu on "Gems of Chinese Literature." Tea will be served and all members of the society and readers of the China Journal of Science and Arts are cordially invited.

• • •

Mr. William T. Nolting has been re-elected president of the Bank of the Philippine Islands. Mr. J. F. Marias, Manila representative of the U. S. Shipping Board, was elected first vice-president.

• • •

For operating a gambling den at 384 Hopeh Road, wwhere fifty men were arrested in a raid by police of Louza Station Tuesday night, a Chinese was fined $30 by the Mixed Court yesterday, with the alternative of two weeks in jail. The others, with the exception of seven who forfeited $10 bail each by non-appearance, were fined $2 each. A considerable amount of money seized was ordered confiscated. The proprietor of a gambling den at 730 Tiendong Road was also fined $30 and eleven gamblers arrested when the place was raided Tuesday evening were fined $3 apiece.

• • •

Tsiang Fen-gong, licensee of the Shanghai European Sanitary Bakery, was fined $15 in the Mixed Court yesterday for delivering unwrapped bread to customers.

• • •

Mr. Yu Yah-ching, the director of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce who has been authorised by the Chinese Cigarette Dealers Guild, to present to the provincial authorities a plan of compromise to substitute the enforcement of the cigarette surtax, will leave today for Nanking, according to the announcement made at a meeting of the guild yesterday.

• • •

A meeting was held last night at the Industria and Mercantile Friendly society, King Lung Ka, to discuss plans of holding a memorial service in honor of the late M. Lenine, the Soviet leader. No date was fixed for the affair at the meeting.

• • •

Fred. J. Clifford, former cashier for the American Express Company at Manila, who was serving a sentence in Bilibid Prison for embezzling company money, died in prison of Bright's disease on February 12.

Socialist Convention In New York May 17

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 10.—The national committee today selected New York as the place for the 1924 Socialist national convention. The date was fixed for May 17.

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY.
THERAPION No. 1
THERAPION No. 2
THERAPION No. 3
No. 1 for Bladder Catarrh. No. 2 for Blood & Skin Diseases. No. 3 for Chronic Weaknesses
SOLD BY LEADING CHEMISTS. PRICE IN ENGLAND 3s
DR LECLERC Med. Co., Haverstock Rd., N.W.5, London.
SEE TRADE MARKED WORD "THERAPION" ON BRIT. GOVT. STAMP AFFIXED TO GENUINE PACKETS.

The China Press Want Ads
Office: No. 17 Nanking Road

The New Hotel, West Lake, Hangchow
THE IDEAL PLACE TO STAY
WHEN ON A HOLIDAY IN
HANGCHOW
The New Hotel is Fitted with all model Conveniences with lifts and up to date toilets in each room
Roof Garden, Billiard Room, Bar Room, Dining Room, Lounge, etc.
RESERVATION BY LETTER OR BY TELEGRAM
Tel. Add. "NEW HOTEL" HANGCHOW
S. K. TUNG, MANAGER

First Motor Car Starts Trip Into Kansu Hinterland

(Exclusive China Press)

Kuyuan, Kansu, Feb. 19.—The first motor car to ever attempt to penetrate the hinterlands of Kansu province left here this morning for Kanchowfu, the provincial capital, where the Great Wall of China and the Yellow River meet to form a double barrier. The car, a Citroen, similar to the one which crossed the Sahara desert in Africa last year, is driven by Mr. Isa French of Chenli.

Carter Asked To Continue Work At Tomb Of Pharaohs

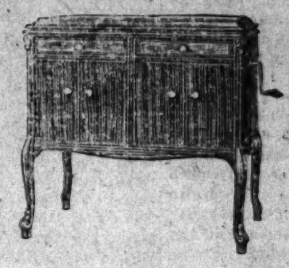
(Exclusive China Press)

Cairo, Feb. 19.—Howard Carter, discoverer of the tomb of King Tutankhamen has replied to the proposal made by the Egyptian government asking him to resume work at the tomb by saying that he would resume work provided the Director of Antinquities apologise to him for the recent order denying him entrance to the tomb. Mr. Carter also asks that the Minister of Public Works undertake to guarantee that there would be no further interference in his work and that no difficulties would be placed in his way.

Keep them well
by giving to them SCOTT'S Emulsion which during half a century has saved the lives of countless thousands of weakly children and has brought health to so many homes in China.
Scott's Emulsion

Best for children.
Just as good for adults.

RUBBER
Uses Tyres Sheets Packing Ebonite Insertion Cloth and moulded articles made to order.
Netherlands Gutta Percha Co.
17 Museum Road

Victrola No. 220

An Instrument You Should See
A model which will fit in with tastefully chosen surroundings, and upon which, as upon every Victrola model, the greatest artists are heard, as they wish to be heard, on Victor records.
Come in today and look it over
S. Moutrie & Co., Ltd.
37 Nanking Road

EXPRESS MONEY ORDERS
MAY BE CASHED ANYWHERE
For small remittances the most convenient for both remitter and payee. Telephone or send chit to
THE
AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, Inc.
8 KIUKIANG ROAD CENTRAL 1972
BANKING DEPARTMENT
Payable at any American Express office in Europe, North and South America, The Near East and the Far East. Cashed by banks everywhere.
TRAVELERS' CHEQUES

NESTLE'S CHOCOLATES are Delicious
Try Them
FRESH SHIPMENTS FROM SWITZERLAND MONTHLY.

On Sale At All Chemists

Ayrton's IODISED THROAT TABLETS
THE ONLY SURE AND SCIENTIFIC REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT. DOCTORS RECOMMEND THEM.
Each tablet, as it slowly dissolves in the mouth, releases a definite quantity of IODINE to soothe, heal, and sterilize the inflamed area.
Each genuine carton bears his Trade-Mark
Each genuine tablet is embossed with the letter "A"
GILBERT HOOPER & CO. (sole agents) 9A, Kiangse Rd., Shanghai
REFUSE SUBSTITUTES
COUPON
Send this coupon, together with 8 cents in stamps, to Gilbert Hooper & Co., 9A, Kiangse Rd., Shanghai, and a specimen tube of 6 tablets will be mailed Post Free.
NAME .....
ADDRESS .....

Golf
Football
Rugby
Racing
Paper Hunting

China Press Sports

Hockey
Basketball
Billiards
Boxing
Comment

Tingle And Keenan Sign Agreement For Return Bout At Carlton Monday

Billy And Syd To Meet In Another Twelve Round Scrap; Preliminary Card Likely To Include Kyko And Favacho; Program Sure To Be Corker

By Westa

Syd Keenan and Billy Tingle will meet at the New Carlton next Monday evening in a return match Definite announcement of this long sought and much looked forward to bout can now be made, inasmuch as both boys signed articles of agreement last evening. The preliminary card, while not yet arranged, will be a strong one, with a return match between Kid Kyko and Bobby Favacho a strong probability.

Announcement of a return match between Billy Tingle and Syd Keenan will be hailed with delight by scores of Shanghai boxing fans, including those who saw the last bout, and the less fortunate ones who did not see it. The last battle between the boys was pronounced by all boxing fans here as the best ever staged in Shanghai, and ever since then there has been an insistent demand for the re-appearance of the two boys in the ring.

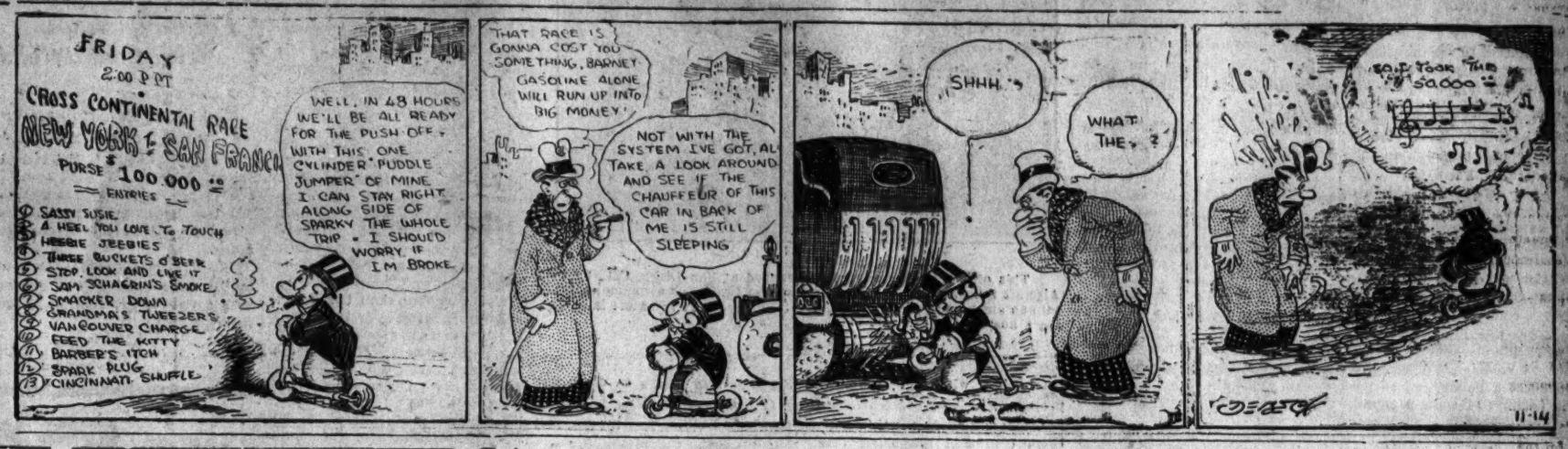
Billy Tingle, it will be recalled, had planned to leave for the States immediately after the last fight, but so insistent were his friends that he remain for a return bout that the little Australian finally consented. It was further pointed out to Billy that Sailor Chadwick would be in port in a matter of a week or two, and that his admirers here would like to see him engage in another battle with that peppery scrapper. Shanghai fight fans therefore can congratulate themselves upon the opportunity that is now presented for a brace of good scraps. And if Keenan wins there will be an eager desire on the part of the boxing fraternity to see him mix with the sailor. Hence the town is assured of at least two and perhaps three good scraps in the near future.

Judged by the inquiries that have been made there is tremendous interest in the rematching of Tingle and Keenan. The last time out these boys gave an exhibition that will be long remembered by those who were fortunate enough to be present. Keenan, especially, delighted and amazed the fans by his showing, particularly after Billy clipped him one on the chin at the opening of hostilities that all but put him out. The "come back" he staged on that occasion will go down in the annals of Shanghai ring history as one of the most remarkable exhibitions of gameness and ring craft ever witnessed here.

The fight Monday will be over the same distance as the previous engagement, towit, twelve three minute rounds. Both boys are in the same fine condition they were then, so that neither will have much of an advantage on that score.

Announcement of the supporting card will be made just as soon as Dr. O'Hara and the committee that is working with him have made the necessary arrangements. These, it is known, will not involve much effort, as there is plenty of available talent here.

BARNEY GOOGLE — By Billy De Beck


FRIDAY
2:00 P.M.
CROSS CONTINENTAL RACE
NEW YORK to SAN FRANCISCO
PURSE $100,000.00
ENTRIES
SASSY SUSIE
A HEEL YOU LOVE TO TOUCH
HEEBIE JEEBIES
THREE BUCKETS O' BEER
STOP, LOOK AND LIKE IT
SAM SCHAGRIN'S SMOKE
SMACKER DOWN
GRANDMA'S TWEEZERS
VANCOUVER CHARGE
FEED THE KITTY
BARBER'S ITCH
SPARK PLUG
CINCINNATI SHUFFLE
WELL, IN 48 HOURS WE'LL BE ALL READY FOR THE PUSH-OFF. WITH THIS ONE CYLINDER PUDDLE JUMPER OF MINE I CAN STAY RIGHT ALONG SIDE OF SPARKY THE WHOLE TRIP - I SHOULD WORRY IF I'M BROKE
THAT RACE IS GONNA COST YOU SOMETHING, BARNEY. GASOLINE ALONE WILL RUN UP INTO BIG MONEY!
NOT WITH THE SYSTEM I'VE GOT, AL. TAKE A LOOK AROUND AND SEE IF THE CHAUFFEUR OF THIS CAR IN BACK OF ME IS STILL SLEEPING
SHHH
WHAT THE-?
SOLE TOOK THE SADDO
11-14

FEVERISH FABLES

Madame Karinskaya Will Give Recital

Shanghai music-lovers are eagerly looking forward to the appearance at the Olympic Theater next Monday night of Madame Maria Karinskaya, formerly one of the greatest favorites of the Petrograd and Moscow operas, and widely known throughout the Orient through her previous appearances in recitals both here and in other of the Treaty Ports.

For her program on Monday night, Madame Karinskaya has arranged a pleasing selection of classical and ballad numbers which will permit her to display to its fullest range her voice, which has won her the enthusiastic plaudits of critics and music-lovers everywhere.

Sunday's Concert

Mr. A. Foa, violin, will be the solist at the concert to be given by the Municipal Orchestra in the Town Hall on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, when the following program will be given:

1. Overture, "Carnaval Romain" Berlioz
2. Suitz, "Ma More l'Oye" (Mother Goose) Ravel
   (a) Pavane de la belle au bois dormant
   (b) Petit Foucet
   (c) Laideronnette, Imperatrice des Pagedes
   (d) Les entretions de la Belle et de la Bete
   (e Le Jardin Feerique
3. (a) Andante from the "Symphonie Espagnole" Lalo
   (b) Rondo Capriccioso Saint-Saens
   for Violin with Orchestra Accmp.
   Soloist: A. Foa
   INTERVAL
4. Symphony in D minor Cesar Franck
   (a) Lento—Allegro non troppo —Lento—Allegro non troppo
   (b) Allegretto
   (c) Finale: Allegro non troppo

Conductor: Maestro Mario Paci.

The Eighth Chamber Music and Soloist Concert will be given on Thursday, February 28, at 9:15 p.m. "Mozart—Program" Oboe—Quartet—Clarinet—Quintet and Ptano-Concerto: "The Incoronation" with Orch. Accomp. and Soloist: Mo. Mario Paci.

Famous Potash And Perlmutter Stories In The Movies

All readers of the Saturday Evening Post during the past nine years will welcome announcement of the Carlton Theater that they are showing "Potash and Perlmutter" tonight. Those two screamingly funny Jewish clothing dealers have been enjoyed by thousands in the United States and elsewhere on the globe where the Satevepost is read for years. As advertised they have been laughed at in twenty different languages and will unquestionably add one more to their record with the introduction of the pictures in China. Chang Tso-lin's army maneuvers, taken by the B.A.T., are on the same program.

BRITISH INFANTRY RESERVES HAVE SERVICE MEET

Fifty Members Attend, Making Session Great Success; Notables Present

The Unit Service Meeting was held at the Rifle Range on Sunday, 17th inst. The meeting proved a great success, and there were 50 entries.

Concurrently with the Unit Service Meeting, Part II of the Annual Musketry Course was fired, under the supervision of Lt. Buyers and Q.M.S. Rose of the Headquarter Staff, to whom are due the best thanks of the Unit for the smooth running of the meeting. Eighteen members qualified as marksmen. The general turn out was excellent. Major W. J. N. Dyer and Captain C. H. Ryde were also present at the Range.

At the conclusion of the shooting on Sunday morning, an adjournment was made for tiffin. 54 sat down and did full justice to the fare provided, and a toast to two very popular members of the Unit was drunk with musical honors. Quarter Master W. Rose was the guest of the Unit.

The Commandant and other members of the Staff were conducting Field operations in the Western District which prevented their attendance at the Range.

After tiffin a Pool Shoot, St Dunstan's Cup and Knight Competition was arranged. Distance 500 yards, 10 rounds, service conditions. 45 Entries. The proceeds, Entrance Fees, $47.00, to be forwarded to St. Dunstan's Hostel for Blinded Soldiers and Sailors. Highest Scorer, Leg on the St. Dunstan's Cup. Special Prizes 2 Silver Cups presented by the "Knights" 3rd prize (donated). All competitions were very keenly contested. Before noon, a variable East wind and dull light made shooting at the longer ranges difficult.

After tiffin shooting conditions were excellent, good light and slight East wind. Prizes won at the meeting will be presented at the Annual Dinner of the Unit, to be held at the Shanghai Club on Saturday, 23rd February, at 8 p.m. The results of the shooting is as follows:

Competition N. 1.
First Prize—E. Mellows.
Second Prize—B. T. Prideaux.
Third Prize—A. C. P. Dewing.

Competition No. 2.
First Prize—R. Joseph.
Second Prize—Capt. A. W. Studd.
Third Prize—F. Hornbrook.

Competition No. 3.
First Prize—H. B. Smith.
Second Prize—P. D. Raeburn.
Third Prize—O. L. Ilbert.

Competition No. 4.
First Prize—F. D. Snape.
Second Prize—J. H. Logan.
Third Prize—C. Reeves.

Competition No. 5. (Knight Competition)
First Prize—L. Kennedy.
Second Prize—G. H. Willder.
Third Prize—P. Tilley.

St. Dunstan's Cup
L. Kennedy.

Aggregate Without Handicaps
First Prize—L. Kennedy 173
Second Prize—H. B. Smith 165
Third Prize—O. L. Ilbert 162

Aggregate With Handicaps
First Prize—E. Mellows 159+10%=168.54
Hornell Cup—Sgt. E. Mellows.
Johnson Cup—Pte. L. Kennedy.

RANGERS WIN MATCH

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 19.—In a Scottish Football League match today the Rangers beat Kilmarnock by 2 goals to 0.

GAME POSTPONED

Fuh Tan University and Nanyang College have mutually agreed to postpone the Intercollegiate Basketball Game that was scheduled for Saturday. The date has not been fixed yet, but it will probably be sometime at the end of March.

Call
West 189
Ford Hire Service

GOLF CLUBS TO PLAY ANNUAL MATCH SUNDAY

Shanghai And Junior Golf To Do Battle At Kiangwan

Next Sunday the annual match between the Shanghai Golf Club and the Junior Golf Club will be played at Kiangwan. There will be sixteen men on a side and the contest will consist of singles and foursomes, the singles to be played in the morning and the four ball matches in the afternoon. The teams, with starting times and order of play, follow:

9:02	West	Hopkins
9:10	Beath	Colum
9:18	Crompton	Lancaster
9:26	Porter	Mitchell
9:34	Gray	F. Ferrier
9:42	Neal	Clay
9:50	J. B. Ferrier	Richards
9:58	Malciom	Barrett
10:06	Oswald	Norris
10:14	Elliott	Reeves
10:22	R. G. MacDonald	Huggett
10:30	Cobb	Pettitt
10:38	Murray	Sullivan
10:46	Blackburn	Chisholm
10:54	Mansel Smith	MacIntosh
11:02	Chassels	Anderson

Correspondence

A letter was received yesterday from a correspondent who signs himself "A fan." Anonymous communications are consigned to the wastebasket in this, as in all other newspaper offices.

Harriers To Have Race On Saturday

On Saturday, February 23 the Shanghai Harriers will run off a four miles road race, the start will be from the Ramos Film Studio, Old Kiangwan Road, just behind Hongkew Park. Start 3 p.m. The race will be a handicap one which will be framed by three members of the committee. Members and athletes interested are requested to enter as early as possible, the Hon. Sec. announces that he has already received entries from both senior and junior members. This race is being made an open one to allow athletes to have a trial over the course.

OARSMEN GET PRIZES FOR YEAR AT CLUB FESTIVAL

Awards Made At Gathering At Club House; Graham Honored

The many members of the Shanghai Rowing Club gathered in the club house yesterday afternoon for the distribution of the prizes for the Rowing Club races last Autumn.

The Club was very prettily decorated with flags and emblems, and with a tea dance in progress from five to seven o'clock the members enjoyed themselves very much.

Mr. R. L. Sarjeant, the club captain, made a short address while Mrs. R. L. Evans distributed the prizes.

A special prize was given to Mr. D. M. Graham who so successfully coached the Shanghai crews. It bore the inscription: "To Mr. D. M. Graham in token of the Shanghai Rowing Club's appreciation of his honorary services as coach of the Shanghai crews."

The prizes distributed yesterday afternoon were for the Club races only as the interport tokens had been presented last Fall after the Regatta. The following received prizes:

GRIFFINS' FOURS:

Bow	W. M. McLennan
2	G. C. Large
3	A. E. Johnson
Stroke	H. V. Gulston
Cox	R. Rolleston West

HONG FOURS:
Asiatic Petroleum Co., Ld.

Bow	J. H. Ford
2	L. J. Coulcher
3	A. R. T. Finch
Stroke	B. Lawrie-Smith
Cox	R. Rolleston West

GRIFFINS' PAIRS:

Bow	A. E. Johnson
Stroke	H. V. Gulston
Cox	R. Rolleston West

S.V.C. FOURS
Machine Gun Co. ("A" Crew)

Bow	J. Huxley
2	R. B. Roach
3	A. R. T. Finch
Stroke	H. A. Atkinson
Cox	W. J. Brown

MIXED FOURS:

Bow	Miss Holgate
Stroke	Mrs. W. J. Brown

INTERNATIONAL TRIAL FOURS
England

Bow	J. Huxley
2	H. A. Atkinson
3	L. G. Day
Stroke	V. H. W. Watton
Cox	W. J. Brown

SCULLS
L. J. Coulcher

The China Press Want Ads
OFFICE: No. 17 NANKING ROAD

BACHELORS PREPARE FOR
WHICHEDOODLE
∴ NIGHT ∴
THE BIG LEAP YEAR PARTY
FRIDAY, FEB. 29
DEL MONTE
THE LIVEST SPOT IN SHANGHAI

Passengers' Baggage—All Risks of Accident
Ashore and Afloat including Fire and Theft—
Send for prospectus
C. E. SPARKE INSURANCE OFFICE 44 Kiangse Road.
Agents:—Excess Insurance Co., Ltd.

For Father, Mother and Child

A
REMINGTON
PORTABLE

The only portable machine with a keyboard exactly the same as the Standard Office Model

Single shift—4 rows of keys—automatic ribbon reverse—fits into case only 4 inches high—weight with case only 11¼ pounds. High - standard Remington workmanship to the merest detail.

The Remington is made to be a life-long friend.

Obtainable at all the leading Stores

MUSTARD & CO., INC.
Established 1870
22 MUSEUM ROAD SHANGHAI
Exclusive Representatives—China, Hongkong, Macao.
Branches: Hongkong, Canton, Hankow, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

M & Co.

Rubber Likely To Command World Attention This Year

Stevenson Plan To Regulate Production And Prices Has Had A Year's Trial And Has Not Worked

BY RICHARD SPILLANE.

It looks as if rubber is going to command world attention this year as it did in 1922. The Stevenson plan, by which the British proposed to regulate production and price, has had more than one year's trial. It has not worked. Publicly, the British express belief in its soundness. Privately, they are not so sure.

But it is not what the British say or think. Facts are what count. The British regulatory system doesn't regulate. It is against human nature and sound economics. In essence, it is like the Brazilian scheme for the valorization of coffee, which has had three trials and scored three failures.

There are few products of the earth that have varied so widely in price as rubber. It has sold around $3.10 a pound and as low in New York as 11 cents a pound. Tremendous profits have been made by rubber growers, and there have been tremendous losses. Naturally, the tremendous profits led to a great extension of the cultivation of rubber.

The British control through domicile or corporate ownership four-fifths of the rubber of the world. They claim they own only 35 percent directly. About 70 percent of the rubber produced comes from Malaya and Ceylon. Many of the plantations of Java and Sumatra are controlled by British capital.

Rubber production has increased enormously in the Indian Ocean section. Nowhere else in the world are conditions so favorable in relation to soil, cheap labor and rainfall. Great plantations have been developed under company management but along with these there has been a great amount of rubber grown by small, independent planters, Chinese and natives. Regulation of these people has been and is practically impossible, particularly the Chinese, who, despite the most drastic measures to control sale of rubber, manage to smuggle it to points where it can be marketed.

SURPLUS IN 1922

In 1922 there was a surplus of rubber equal to one year's supply. Rubber companies which previously had paid huge dividends and had not accumulated cash reserves were on the verge of bankruptcy. It was then that the British launched the so-called Stevenson plan to restrict the marketing of rubber.

Briefly the plan set a price at which a certain percentage of the crop might be sold. If demand warranted the percentage was increased and the price, too, and along with the percentage and the price the tax went higher.

This looked all right to the British but not to the Dutch. They said they would have nothing to do with it. Then the British determined to go it alone. They put it up to the legislatures of the Straits Settlements, Malaya and Ceylon and it was adopted, effective November 1, 1922. As a matter of fact they put the standard of production so high that a large part of the benefit of restriction was lost. If rubber sold below 1 shilling 3 pence a pound the output was to be limited to 60 percent of standard production.

The average sales price of 1 shilling 3 pence (30 cents a pound) was maintained for the first quarter. In the second quarter it exceeded 1 shilling 3 pence. The sentimental effect was to shoot the price up to 1 shilling 6 pence in February, 1923, which resulted in a release of an additional 5 percent of the quota of supply. There was a heavy demand from America for six months owing to the tremendous production of automobiles but suddenly this dropped and for the third quarter rubber sold under 1 shilling 3 pence and the output went back to 60 percent.

BRITISH SCORE DUTCH

British newspapers were caustic in their remarks about the Dutch. In effect, they charged that the Dutch profited by the plan without supporting it. At any rate, where there are a great number of independent planters and not a few of them are Chinese who are the most accomplished smugglers in the world, ways and means of evading regulations are not generally difficult, especially when the regulations are unpopular.

The British might have done better if they had accepted the offer of co-operation made through Messrs. Davis, Fagart and Mahony on behalf of American consumers who are the largest users of rubber in the world. The British were too busy with their scheme for restriction to consider what the Americans Britain would make so much out proposed. Also they were so of its control of rubber that it cocksure of success that some of would be able to pay the interest them expressed the belief Great on the war debt due to Amer... out of British rubber profits alone.

This sort of talk, together with the instability of rubber prices, resulted in an appropriation by Congress last Spring of $500,000 to investigate the possibilities of the United States producing its own rubber supply. Various experts were sent to Central America, South America and the Philippines to investigate. All the information they obtained might have been gathered just as well for a two-cent stamp.

Rubber to-day sells at 26 cents. Its highest under Britain's regulatory efforts was 36 cents.

There must be some method devised to bring stability into the business. Those who are best informed and wholly unprejudiced see correction possible only through friendly co-operation between producers and consumers, the British producer and the American consumer. This co-operation should be more toward finding larger employment for rubber than toward restricting its growth or marketing. There are tremendous opportunities in this line. The point of saturation in the automobile industry in America must come some day. That industry is the big consumer of rubber to-day. But the possible uses of automobiles in other sections of the earth are practically illimitable. Civilization marches along with transportation. The automobile is the most serviceable vehicle (thus far devised by man.

Sentimentally, if not otherwise, America has a deep interest in rubber for it was an American —Goodyear—who made it of world's use by its vulcanization.

NAVY AIRPLANE USED FOR STRETCHER CASES.

This official navy photograph, snapped at San Diego, Cal., by the Aircraft Squadrons Battle Fleet, shows the first navy airplane adapted into an ambulance, offering the patient both speed and comfort in reaching a hospital.

Discover Plot To Fill Bank Vaults With Counterfeits

(Exclusive China Press)

Washington, Feb. 19.—According to reports from New York, agents of one of the United States Federal Reserve banks have discovered an attempt to smuggle into the bank's vaults 2,000,000 counterfeit one-dollar notes.

The Attorney-General is said to be investigating the matter with a view to prosecution of the culprits.

Greece Lays Plans To Enlarge Navy

(Exclusive China Press)

Athens, Feb. 19.—The Greek government is discussing plans for enlarging the Greek navy.

COOLIE DISCHARGED

The 66g coolie of Bubbling Well police station appeared in the Mixed Court yesterday charged with having snatched a handbag from Mrs. Sherarogeroff on Bubbling Well Road Tuesday evening. He declared, however, that he had just left the station on his way home when he saw the purse snatched by another Chinese. He started off in pursuit of the thief and was himself arrested by a Sikh policeman who had heard the complainant's cries and saw him running. The complainant was unable to identify the accused positively so he was discharged.

Chinese Shops Are Attacked By Flames

West Hongkew division of the Settlement fire brigade was called to a fire which broke out shortly after 11:30 last night in three Chinese engineering shops, on the top floors of numbers 136, 137, 138 and 139 North Szechuen road. The flames were extinguished by the fire brigade after an hour's fight with the damage confined principally to the roofs and the top floors. The blaze seems to have broken out in the top floor of 138 where workmen employed in the shop have sleeping quarters. No one was injured.

Federal Troops In Mexico Advancing

(Reuter's American Service)

Mexico City, Feb. 19.—The Federal troops have occupied Morelia without fighting.

The China Press Want Ads Office: No. 17 Nanking Road

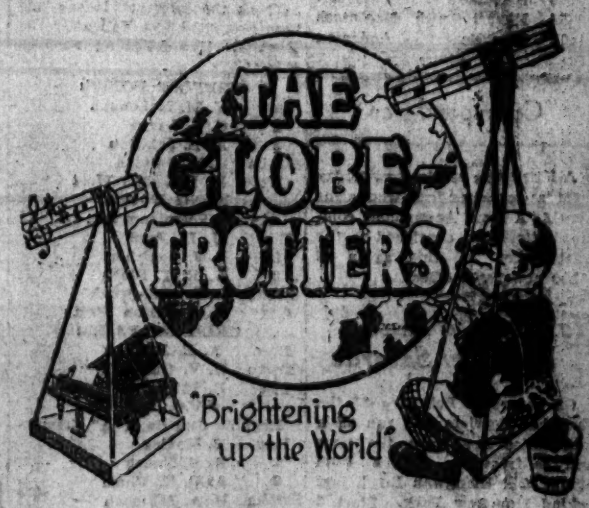
ISIS THEATRE
Thursday to Sunday at 7 and 9.15 p.m.
and Sunday Matinee at 3 p.m.

ROBERT W. CHAMBERS'
GREATEST NOVEL
The Fighting Chance
with ANNA NILSSON
Dorothy Davenport and Conrad Nagel
The sins of his fathers were on him. Around him, the downward drift of his loose-lived, wasting set. Yet he took his chance for the girl of his dreams and fought! A New York romance of love and luxury. Of club, resorts, and follies of beautiful women.
SEE THE SENSATIONAL UNDER-WATER KISS
Admission Prices $1.00, 60 and 40 cts.
Saturday Matinee at 3 p.m.
Douglas MacLean & Doris May in
"LET'S BE FASHIONABLE"

PARISIEN
Pay your official visit to the Washington Birthday Ball at the Ritz and after come and enjoy the real supper and fun.
HERE!
CHERPINO'S BALLET
TWELVE LADIES
Miss HELEN COOK
PRIMA BALLERINA IN THE FAMOUS TANGO
"THE HORSE DANCE"
Grand Change of Programme, Thursday Feb. 21st
TEN LADIES IN THE APACHE DANCE
IN THE CLASSICAL BALLET
Miss HELEN COOK
IN THE EXTRAORDINARY
"FLY DANCE"
PERFORMED FOR THE FIRST TIME IN SHANGHAI
PAOLI — Famous Baritone will Perform Solos
CATHRYN — Classical Dancer form the Orpheum Circuit, U. S. A., will Render Dances
AMERICAN DANCE ORCHESTRA
STILL BEST IN TOWN
Attention! A Grand Masquerade and Fancy Dress Ball, with Special Decorations, will be Held on February 29, Leap Year
There is always Something New at the
PARISIEN
NOTE: NO ENTRANCE CHARGE TO DINERS

Thursday Friday Saturday EVERY NIGHT 9.15 CARLTON THEATRE PHONE WEST 3641 Daily Matinee at 3 p.m.
A Full Line of Laughs and Thrills—Gasps and Roars—Drama and Comedy—Pretty Girls—Follies Show—Fashion Show—Original Stage Stars—and a cast of Youth and Beauty. Surpassing! The Scream of the Screen!
on the screen-at last!

"Potash and Perlmutter"
with
BARNEY BERNARD — ALEX CARR — VERA GORDON
THE MOST INFECTIOUS LAUGH-MAKER THE STAGE, SCREEN, OR STORY HAS EVER KNOWN.
TOWN TOPICS: Marshal Chang Tso-lin and his Big Military Organisation.
Bargain Matinee at 3 p.m. Lower Floor Adults 60cts, Children 30cts. Balcony Adults, $1.00, Children 60 cts.
ONE WEEK ONLY STARTING MON. FEB. 25 ONE WEEK ONLY
Including the following well known English Artists:—
LELLA FORBES
Wallington Tate
Jack Crichton
Florence Broadhurst
Charles Holt
Ralph Sawyer
Peggy Lovell
and
DICK NORTON
presenting
The Best Comedy Show Seen in Years.



PRESENTING ALL THE LATEST LONDON SUCCESSES
Mirth, Music, Comedy and Burlesque.
POPULAR PRICES: $1.00, $2.00, $3.00
SEATS ON SALE FRIDAY.

Feng Yu-hsiang Assault On Policeman Described

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 20.—The note from the Diplomatic Body reached the Waichiaopu this morning. It calls attention to the frequent disregard of traffic regulations in the Legation quarter by Chinese and cites the Feng Yu-hsiang incident as a glaring example. The Government is requested to draw the attention of the Chinese public to the necessity for Chinese who enter the quarter to conform with its traffic regulations. The note makes no demands.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 17.—A very regrettable incident occurred in connection with the traffic regulations of the Diplomatic Quarter on Friday evening.

Owing to the common practice of Chinese driving through the Quarter with one light or three, at dangerous speed, the police have recently been given strict orders to ensure safety by insisting upon motor cars inside the Quarter using two ordinary lights and not the glaring third which is such a nuisance in Peking City. An old regulation prohibits armed outriders from being carried inside the Quarter, in common with the Chinese regulations in the city itself. The regulations are plainly posted at the gates of the Quarter, but recently at night-fall a large number of rickshas and motor cars infringing the light regulations have been stopped at the various gates of the Quarter, while numbers of cars have been stopped and warned owing to the terrific speed with which they have been rushing through the Quarter.

On Friday evening General Feng Yu-hsiang was a guest at the American Legation. He entered the Legation Quarter from the Hatamen with three glaring lights and three outriders carrying Mauser pistols under their coats. Mr. Galley was in the car with General Feng. On arrival at the intersection of Legation Street and Rue Marco Polo the policeman on duty attempted to stop the car without success. He blew his whistle and the man on duty in front of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank got in front of the car and gamely stood his ground.

The car pulled up, and the outriders jumped to the ground and hustled the policeman from in front of the car. The policeman raised his baton and struck the outriders. The policeman received a blow on the face which caused a bruise.

General Feng got out of the car, the baton was taken from the policeman and General Feng re-entered the car with the baton in his hand. The car then proceeded, accompanied by a chorus of whistles of warning to policemen on duty further along the street. General Feng threw the baton on to the footpath as the car proceeded.

After leaving the bank, the car considerably increased its speed. The policemen in front of the Yokohama Specie Bank and the International Bank attempted to stop the car, but it swerved around them and went on to the American Legation, Mr. Thomas, Secretary of the Legation Quarter, followed the car to the American Legation and insisted that, when General Feng left the Legation, he should go out by the Western end of Legation Street, lest there should be further trouble.

Wedding

HENRY—KAHLER

Miss Thyra Joyce Kahler became the bride of Mr. Francis Henry in a quiet and pretty wedding at Holy Trinity Cathedral yesterday afternoon. Dean Symons officiated and Mr. R. C. Young presided at the organ.

The bride wore a gown of champagne colored charmeuse edged with a fringe of the same material and with a cape lined with carnation pink. She wore a brown hat, matching her costume and carried a sheaf of carnations.

Mr. H. E. Middleton acted as best man.

After the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride on Avenue Joffre, after which they left for their honeymoon in Hangchow.

THROWS COOLIDGE'S HAT INTO RING.

President-Coolidge-Frank W Stearns & Wm M. Butler.

In a statement given out in Washington Frank W. Stearns, of Boston, President Coolidge's closest friend and adviser, announced Mr. Coolidge's candidacy for the Republican nomination for the Presidency in 1924. William M. Butler, of Boston, National Committee man from Massachusetts, has been selected by Mr. Coolidge to manage his campaign.

Notes From Peking

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 17.—Marshal Hsiao Yao-nan has recommended Mr. Wei Tsung-lien, Superintendent of Chinese Customs at Ichang, for appointment as Minister abroad. Mr. Wei was formerly in the Consular Service. Marshal Hsiao reports that he has appointed Mr. Chen Chieh, former Commissioner of Foreign Affairs at Wuchang, as his diplomatic adviser.

Marshal Wang Huai-ching left here for Tientsin last evening to make personal inquiries regarding the health of Marshal Tuan Chi-jui.

The Ministry of Commerce has granted the resignation of Mr. Chin Juai-chieh, Chief of the Trade Marks Bureau, and has appointed in his stead Mr. Li Cheng. The appointment was gazetted today.

Admiral Wu Yu-lin will shortly go to Nanking. It is understood that he intends to consult Marshal Chi and Admiral Tu Hsi-kuai regarding the appointment of Admiral Wen Shu-teh, Commander of the Tsingtao Squadron, as Commissioner of Coast Defence at Pehhai (Chihli Gulf). It is expected that the appointment will be announced on Admiral Wu's return from Nanking.

It is reported today that General Li Chi-chen, Chief of Staff to Marshal Wu Pei-fu and Civil Governor of Honan, will exceed General Chang Fu-lai as Tuli of Honan, retaining concurrently the post of Civil Governor.

Wrigley's Gum
Cleanses the Teeth

COAL

House Coal, specially suitable for Fire Places ..... M. $17.00
Soochan Anthracite .... M. $20.00
Steam Coal S'hai T10.50, ex Wharf.
S. HEIMANN & Co.,
19a, Canton Road. Tel. C. 1604.

A. D. C.
Lyceum Theatre
"DEAR BRUTUS"
Extra Performances
Tonight, 21st February 1924
and
Saturday, 23rd February, (Final)
Booking Now Open at Moutrie's for both above
By Order
Wm. ARMSTRONG
Business Manager

AT THE OLYMPIC THEATRE Tonight and Friday, Feb. 21st & 22nd at 9.15 p.m.
THE MOST FASCINATING STAR
PEARL WHITE in HENRI BERNSTEIN'S GREATEST PLAY
THE THIEF

A TALE OF RICH DRESSES, FAIR WOMEN & SHALLOW SOCIETY
SPECIAL MUSIC
No Advance in Prices
MATINEES
On Saturday, Feb. 23rd, at 3.15 p.m.
HELEN KELLER in "DELIVERANCE"
On Sunday, Feb. 24th, at 3.15 p.m.
PEARL WHITE in "THE THIEF"

VICTORIA THEATRE
On Thurs. to Sun., Feb. 21rt to 24th, at 9.15 p.m.
and on Sunday Matinee at 5.30 p.m.
The 1924 Super-Artistic Production
"THE BACHELOR GIRL"
9 REELS

A MAGNIFICENT photo-play, of superb dimensions, elaborately staged, lavishly invested, perfectly acted and directed.
BEAUTIES and FASHIONS! CAFES and CABARETS! DIVINE WOMEN and FAIRY SCENES
Nothing like it has ever been shown!
SPECIAL MUSIC
Admission: $1.50 and $1.00 Coupons Accepted
MATINEES
On Saturday, February 23rd, at 3.15 p.m.
Conway Tearle in "THE FIGHTER"
On Sunday, February 24th, at 3.15 p.m.
"THE VALLEY OF DOUBT"

APOLLO THEATRE
TO-DAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.
TWO SHOWS DAILY at 5.30 and 9.15 p.m.

MARRIED WOMEN
are you interested in your husband's progress and welfare? Do you want to see him get ahead and make money? See "DAYTIME WIVES."

WORKING GIRLS
do you love your job—would an increase in salary make a hit with you—are you tired of the steady grind—would you like to lift yourself to a position of affluence? See "DAYTIME WIVES."

BUSINESS MEN
Are you interested in your own business—do you love your dear ones—do you want to provide them more comforts? See "DAYTIME WIVES."

EVERYBODY
Are you looking for your greatest evening's entertainment—do you want to get more joy, more knowledge than you ever got before? See "DAYTIME WIVES."

ALL STAR CAST
THE MOST STARTLING REVELATION OF MODERN DOMESTIC LIFE
Daytime Wives
BOOKING AT ROBINSON'S.

The China Press Want Ads Office: No. 17 Nanking Road

APOLLO THEATRE
STARTING SUNDAY AT 5.30 P.M.
TWO SHOWS DAILY AT 5.30 & 9.15 P.M.
APOLLO THEATRE
WARNER BROS Present "THE BEAUTIFUL AND DAMNED" by — F. Scott Fitzgerald

Next Mail Comes On Empress Boat On Next Saturday

Following the arrival of the President Grant yesterday afternoon, the next mail from America will arrive on the Empress of Asia next Saturday, and the President Hays is due here from San Francisco on Tuesday.

The Grant which arrived from Seattle yesterday and docked at the China Merchants' Central Wharf, will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. The Asia arrives from Vancouver on Saturday afternoon, and will dock at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf at 2 o'clock. The Asia is to sail for Hongkong on Sunday morning.

Two big trans-Pacific liners are leaving Shanghai for American ports next Monday, and the M.M. steamer Ankers, which docked at the Whangpoo Wharf yesterday morning, will sail for Marseilles on Friday morning, February 29. The Empress of Australia and the President Jefferson are sailing for Vancouver and Seattle next Monday, and are expected to make their last port on March 12.

Vienna Banks Are Closed By Strike

(Exclusive China Press)

Vienna, Feb. 19.—All Vienna banks, including the national bank, have been closed as a result of the strike of clerks who are demanding an increase in wages.

Battleship Frees Ice-Bound Vessels

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Feb. 19.—The Battleship Braunschwig has succeeded in freeing twenty steamers which were ice-bound off the coast of Denmark.

STORAGE
AT LOW RATES
Strom & Co.
9 Ezra Road
Tel. C. 204

Turkish Bath and Massage Establishment
in connection with
High Class Restaurant
SUKIYAKI a specialty
10 Seward Road Tel. No. 3258.
PROP. J. K. SETO. PROP.

Mme. Lohmann
MASSAGE, Violet Rays, Injections and Vaccination. Hours 11-2, 4-6½. 573 Nanking Rd. Tel. C. 178. Residence Avenue Joffre 301. Tel. W. 4205.
65575 M 16

DOCTOR HELFENSTEIN M.D.
Removed to 34 Nanking Road
Tel. C. 7092
SPECIALIST in venereal, urinary, female, skin, internal diseases and sex disorders. Office hours: 9-1 and 4-7 or by appointment.

OFFICES TO LET
IN THE
GLEN LINE BUILDING
Corner of Peking Road and The Bund
For particulars apply to Messrs. ALGAR & Co., Ltd.
11 Yuen Ming Yuen Road.
54803

The China Press Want Ads Office: No. 17 Nanking Road

Employment Bureau
NEPTUNE
Male or Female Servants for any occupation guaranteed
131 Ave. Joffre Tel. C. 1180

C 2240
UNIVERSAL HIRE SERVICE
Serves U Right—Day & Night
$1 First 20 Min. $3 per Hr.

The Shanghai Chemical Laboratory
No. 20 Nanking Road
3rd Floor

Floors, Walls made clean and safe with
"WYANDOTTE"
DETERGENT
At all the Stores, $1.25 per 5 lb. bag. Special quotations for bulk from
The China and Japan Trading Company
42 Kiangse Road Shanghai

Classified Advertisements

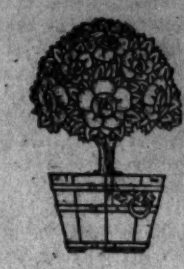
3 CENTS A WORD Minimum Charge 60 Cents

SPECIAL BRANCH OFFICE

17, NANKING ROAD

(South Side, between Kiangse and Szechuen Road)

This Branch Office will be found in the large lobby on the ground floor. It is open every day from 8.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. & 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.



All adverts. must be prepaid and replies called for

EDUCATIONAL

AN AMERICAN or European lady teacher is now wanted to give lessons on commercial knowledge, two hours every night, must be experienced lecturer and able to speak Shanghai or Peking dialect. Salary moderate. Apply by person Mr. Tung, principal of the East Asiatic evening college, 498 Fukien Road.
65675 F 22

LESSONS in French and Russian, also drawing given by intelligent lady, 307, B. Avenue Joffre. Please apply 4-7 p.m.
65680

WANTED. An English teacher to take lessons, from 9 to 12 a.m., five times a week. Apply stating terms to Box 914, THE CHINA PRESS.
65695 F 23

YOUNG lady desires lessons in Pitman's shorthand three times a week. Reply stating terms to Box 67, THE CHINA PRESS.
65647 F 21

PUPILS wanted by a professional Chinese teacher. Lessons will be given in learners' home. Apply 174, Stone Bridge. Mr. Loh.
65613 F 21

APARTMENTS WANTED

FLAT WANTED, unfurnished with two or three rooms, varandah, kitchen and bathroom, for married couple. Please apply to Box 57, THE CHINA PRESS.
65567

USED CARS

PAIGE 6 cylinder touring for sale cheap, Wire wheels, good tires all around. T950.00. Apply Box No. 915, THE CHINA PRESS,
65698 F 22

MARMON 6 cylinder roadster, wire wheels, 6 tires, new battery, good running order T1,250.00 or nearest offer. Apply Box No. 916, THE CHINA PRESS.
65698 F 22

DR. J. PODPAKH, M. D.
SPECIALIST in female diseases, internal diseases, venereal and skin diseases. Hours from 12-1 a.m. 4-6 p.m. except Saturday and holidays, 14 Kinkiang Road, Ezra Building, above China Press. Tel. C. 434.
65313 A 2

OFFICES, ETC., TO LET

THREE ROOMED office in Arnhold building, light and airy. Apply, in writing only to Box No. 913, THE CHINA PRESS.
65691

TO LET, 4300 square feet ground floor store space with show windows. Excellent location on Nanking Road. Rental Tls. 900. For further particulars apply Asia Realty Co., 15 Nanking Road. No. 27

LARGE ground floor shops to be let on lease, about 2,000 square feet, corner two important thoroughfares in central district. Moderate rental. Apply to Box 781, THE CHINA PRESS. T. F.

No. 733 Avenue Foch, Rent Tls. 40.00. Apply Brandt and Rodgers, Ltd., No. 123 Szechuen Road, Telephone C. 1119.
65535 F 23

No. 14 Seward Road and No. 47 Boone Road. Further particulars apply Brandt and Rodgers, Ltd., No. 123 Szechuen Road, Telephone C 1119.
65536 F 23

OFFICES. Three nice ground floor offices, central district, steam heated, single office or suits of two or three rooms. Apply Asia Realty Co., 15 Nanking Road Telephone Central 65.
No. 30

TO LET splendid office space centrally located in business district, ground floor suites of two to ten rooms, best facilities. Apply Asia Realty Co., 15 Nanking Road. Central 65.
No. 29

TO LET, one big office room @ Tls. 50 per month, tax included 1st floor of 51B Kiangse Road. Apply to the city Bank of Shanghai, Ltd.
T. F. 234

ROOMS, living or office. Furnished or otherwise. Central district. Apply to Box 1129, THE CHINA PRESS.
T. F. 231

OFFICES to let. On the 2nd and 3rd floors of No 7 The Bund Also at No. 7a the premises immediately behind No. 7 Apply to The Commercial Bank of China.
T. F. 126

DANCING CLASSES

TO CHINESE ladies and gentlemen, foreign lady, professional teacher, speaking Mandarin, desires students for modern ball room dances. Private lessons or classes if desired. Apply to Box 64, THE CHINA PRESS.
65627 F 21

PROFESSIONAL

MME. Helen Voronoff, Manicurist. Hours: 10 a.m. to 12 and 2 to 7 p.m. 25 Avenue Edward VII. Room 106, Ben Building. Tel. C. 6794.
65385 M 11

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

WANTED active or silent partner, with taels 10,000 to 20,000 capital to take over existing import-export business. Applicants are assured of absolute discretion. Apply to Box 912, THE CHINA PRESS.
65691

HOUSES WANTED

WANTED in August, September or earlier, a modern unfurnished house of 6-7 rooms and 2-3 bathrooms, servants' quarters, garden, tennis, garage. Western District or French Town. Apply to Box 874, THE CHINA PRESS.
65515 F 21

HOUSES FOR SALE

ONE residence with garages, stables and large servants' quarters, ten mow of land. Location Avenue Joffre near Route Roi Albert. Further particular Apply Brandt and Rodgers Ltd., No. 123 Szechuen Road. Telephone Central 1119.
65659 F 27

APARTMENTS TO LET

VERY convenient, furnished flat and two single rooms, to let, no board, 7 Albury Lane.
65679 F 23

COMPLETELY furnished flat, overlooking Race Course. March 1st for six months, two bedrooms, bath, living-dining room, kitchen with gas, servants' quarters. Rent 90 taels, including taxes and water Apply Saturday afternoon, 4 Thibet Road.
65682 F 22

FLAT near Bund, two rooms, bathroom, kitchen, store room & servant's room. Fittings, attractive furniture, linen etc., to be sold at a reasonable price. Rent moderate. Immediate possession. Apply to Box 830, THE CHINA PRESS.
65404

TO LET one well furnished flat of three or two large rooms, with verandah, bath rooms etc. All modern conveniences. Nicely located. Apply 30 Medhurst Road.
63542

TO LET, from March 1st, for six months or longer in best part of central district, unfurnished housekeeping flat, bedroom, sitting room, one small bedroom, small office, large store room, kitchen, modern bathroom, hot and cold water, steam heating, modern sanitation. Rent Taels 130 per month, including taxes light and water. Can be seen by appointment between 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. For further particulars apply Box 408 Chinese Post Office.
65531

FOR RENT. March 1st, comfortable two roomed flat with modern bathroom and kitchen attached. Ideal for married couple or two ladies. Furnished or unfurnished. Address Box 902, THE CHINA PRESS.
65648 F 21

TO LET, a clean and neatly furnished housekeeping flat in a new modern apartment building. Call at 429 Avenue Joffre, after 1 o.m.
65590 F 23

No. 19 Route Amiral Courbet, Four rooms and Two attic rooms, modern Bath-rooms, Hot and Cold Water. Apply Brandt and Rodgers, Ltd., No. 123 Szechuen Road, Telephone C. 1119.
65534 F 23

TO LET, furnished flat, in French district. Bed and sitting room, with verandah, bathroom and kitchen, with use of telephone and electric light. 582 Rue de l'Observatoire.
65696 F 23

FLAT to be let, 4 Ezra Road, 3rd floor, occupation 1st March. Apply to Box 794, THE CHINA PRESS.
T. F. 240

GODOWNS TO LET

GODOWN to let. Ching Tai Chong Co., No. 16-18 Dixwell Road.
65615 F 21

SITUATIONS VACANT

WANTED: Salesman capable of taking charge of Retail Shop. Should have some Electrical Knowledge. American or British preferred. Apply to Box 917, THE CHINA PRESS.
T. F. 245

A COMPRADORE and partner wanted for a new business. Excellent opportunity for a good man. Capital required $60—70,000. Address Box No. 908, THE CHINA PRESS.
65670 F 23

WANTED a cashier (Chinese), who can furnish cash guarantee preferred. Good salary Apply to Box 66, THE CHINA PRESS.
65686 F 21

ARTISTS wanted. Knowledge of lettering and line drawing. Beginners may apply to Box 900, THE CHINA PRESS.
65638 F 20

PHOTOGRAPHERS, with knowledge of Motion Picture work. Apply No. 6 Annam Road.
65667 F 20

WANTED English speaking nursery governess. Telephone West 1865, from 12-2 o'clock or after 6 p.m.
65640 F 21

HOUSES TO LET

TO LET No. 40 Paoshan Road, from March 1st, 1924, 4 roomed foreign residence with small garden, rent T35 per month. Apply China Realty Company, Limited. Telephone C. 865.
T. F. 243

TO LET A modern seven roomed house in New Kiangwan Road, with large garden, garage, etc. Rent T100 per month only. Occupation from March 15th next. For further particulars apply China Realty Company Limited, 24a Kiangse Road. Telephone C865.
T. F. 244

TO LET, five roomed house 51 Avenue Dubail available April 1 or earlier. Rent 100 Taels, garage 10 Taels optional.
T. F. 252

IN BEST PART, corner Bubbling Well, 25 Carter Road, furnished or unfurnished, writing room, dining-sitting room, two baths, two bedrooms, hot water, kitchen, servant room, telephone. Moderate rent, garage if desired.
65672

TO LET, furnished house, containing three rooms, kitchen and bathroom. Furniture and fixtures to be taken over. Apply to 221 Avenue Foch.
65392

BEAUTIFUL bungalow style house on Yu Yuen Road. Hardwood parquet floors, living and dining rooms paneled. Modern plumbing. Built in sideboard, book cases, linen chests, closets pantry and kitchen chests, five very large rooms, one small, two attic, garage, garden. Very desirable. No furniture or fittings to be taken over. Rent T150. Apply to Box 904, THE CHINA PRESS.
65661 F 21

TO LET, from March 1st, unfurnished four roomed house, near French Club, with two independent modern bathroom, large attic, spacious nice kitchen, servants' quarters, garage. Rental T80 Apply West 2691.
65622 F 21

TO LET, in best part of Bubbling Well Road, unfurnished, six roomed house, two bathrooms, hot water, modern sanitation, nice kitchen, servants' quarters. Rent reasonable fixtures to be taken for cheap price. Immediate occupation. Apply to Box 891, THE CHINA PRESS.
65566 F 20

SMALL and large houses with all modern conveniences, garage, near tram. Apply to Shanghai Estate Co., Inc., 41 Rue du Consulat.
T. F. 238.

FOR RENT. From March 15th, fine large foreign residence on 2½ mow of land on Scott Road, eight main rooms, four attic rooms, three small rooms, four bathrooms six servants' rooms, kitchen, pantries, laundry, etc. Modern sanitation, hot and cold water. Large garage, porter house. Oak finish and panelings. Apply to Asia Realty Company, 15 Nanking Road, Tel. Central 65.
No. 35

CORNER MacGregor and Baikal roads, newly built 4-roomed houses with two attic rooms, two bathrooms, hot and cold water and usual servants' quarters. Rent Tls. 65.00 Apply Brandt and Rodgers, Ltd., No. 123 Szechuen Road, Telephone C. 1119.
65531 F 23

Nos. 6 and 9 Ward Road, 7-roomed houses, Rent Tls. 75.00. Apply Brandt and Rodgers, Ltd., No. 123 Szechuen Road, Telephone C 1119.
65532 F 23

SEMI-FOREIGN HOUSES, 5 rooms, Paoshan Road. Rent Tls. 35.00. Apply Brandt and Rodgers, Ltd., No. 123 Szechuen Road, Telephone C. 1119.
65533 F 23

TO LET. Seymour Road 5 roomed house, with 2 large attics, 3 bathrooms hot and cold water, vehandah and garden, Tls. 120. monthly furnitures and fixtures to be taken over at reasonable price. Apply to Box 884 THE CHINA PRESS.
65540 F 22

TO LET, from April 1st, furnished or unfurnished, seven roomed foreign residence. Modern sanitation and conveniences, with garage and garden, on Kiangwan Road. Apply to Asia Realty Co., 15 Nanking Road, Tel. Central 65.
No. 32

HOUSES TO LET

NO. 44 Wonglo Road, seven roomed house, Further particulars apply Brandt and Rodgers, Ltd., No. 123 Szechuen Road. Phone Central 1119.
65681 F 23

TO LET, newly painted four-roomed house, near Hongkew Park, facing South, gas, electric and telephone installed. Apply to Box 71, THE CHINA PRESS.
65690 F 23

SITUATIONS WANTED

COMPETENT Chinese typist seeks position. Good knowledge of English, filing, coding, etc. Several years' experience in office. Apply to Box 72, THE CHINA PRESS.
65699 F 23

EXPERIENCED young lady, stenographer, desires position. Please apply to Box No. 906, THE CHINA PRESS.
65668 F 23

EXPERIENCED Chinese bookkeeper, typist, shipping, customs, general office clerk desires work. Excellent reference. Address Box No. 907, THE CHINA PRESS.
65669 F 22

ENERGETIC young American, many years experience as druggist, seeks position. Speaks French, Russian and German. Excellent references. Salary moderate. Apply to Box 909, THE CHINA PRESS.
65671

EXPERIENCED man Chinese looking for general office work from 7 to 9 p.m. Apply to Box 910, THE CHINA PRESS.
65673 F 23

ONE house boy, one cook boy, two second chauffeurs, seek positions. Apply to Box 911, THE CHINA PRESS.
65677 F 21

WANTED position by young man. Capable steno typist, correspondent, secretary, with complete knowledge of imp. exp. and general office work. First class references. Apply to Box 69, THE CHINA PRESS.
65684

HIGHLY qualified stenographer or private secretary, (thoroughly well grounded in correspondence work. Dependable and perfectly trustworthy. Reasonable salary. Apply to Box 850, THE CHINA PRESS.
65461

MALE NURSE (British) or nurse valet to invalid. Open for engagement. No objection outport. Travel. Apply to Box 63, THE CHINA PRESS.
65618 F 22

YOUNG MAN, (Age 19), Public school graduate, is open for immediate employment in any capacity. Apply to Box 61, THE CHINA PRESS.
65596 F 24

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

ROOMS to let, with board and modern bath, single, double. Phone 2072, 1 Young Allen Terrace.
65678 F 24

TO LET, nice furnished single and double rooms, cold, hot water all day, good food, nice location. 39 Haskell Road.
65683 F 23

TO LET, one large furnished room, with private bath. Full board. Please apply to 28 Carter Road or W. 1912.
65476

TO LET, one large furnished room with bath, full board. Western district. Apply to Box 59, THE CHINA PRESS.
65580

TWO very desirable rooms, to let. in Whangpoo Road, (next Astor House), with or without board. Cool, and no mosquitoes. Apply to Box 888, THE CHINA PRESS.

A101, Avenue Road, near Gordon Road. New private boarding house, well furnished double and single rooms, with private bathroom, excellent food and service. Phone W. 2054.
65618

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

Connaught House.
13 & 9 Quinsan Gardens
BOARD—RESIDENCE.

14 and 15 Quinsan Gardens
TO LET, with full board, large and small rooms, with bathrooms and verandahs attached. Telephone North 482.

BOSTONIA
61 Carter Road
BOARD-RESIDENCE
Phone West 883

CENTRAL DISTRICT, to let comfortably furnished double and single rooms, with or without board, 19-A North Szechuen Road. Telephone North 1848.
65632 F 24

ELEGANTLY furnished rooms, bath attached. $140 per couple and 70 single. Excellent cuisine and service. Apply 34 Haskell Road.
65631 M 4

TWO WELL furnished rooms, all conveniences, kitchen, near Hongkew Park, one minute to tram 4, Scott Road, phone North 2899.
65646 F 22

ONE FURNISHED room, with or without board. Western District, near tramcar. Apply to Box 903, THE CHINA PRESS, or telephone West 1850.
65653 F 22

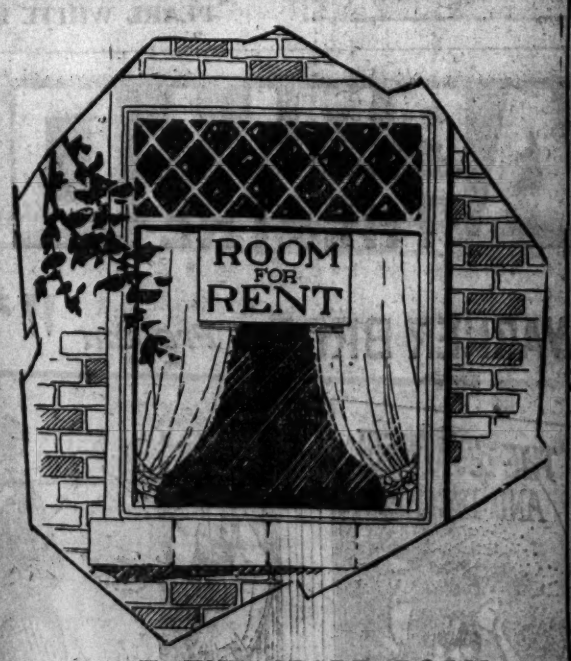
106 BUBBLING WELL ROAD, to let one furnished room attached bath, excellent food, very near Race Course. Moderate price.
65625 F 23

EIGHTEEN Quinsan Garden, single and double apartments, private bath (geysers) throughout. Best food in Shanghai. Real American home cooking. Telephone.
65598 F 19

TO LET, comfortably furnished double and single rooms. Good food and service. Apply 103 Bubbling Well Road (near Race Course). Tel. West 805.
65612 F 24

TO LET, near French Park, one nice single room and one attic, both with modern bath. French supervision and cooking, 127 Route Vallon.
65620 F 21

7 LOVE LANE, Bubbling Well Road. Vacant, large well furnished south room, with verandah and private bathroom. Full board. Reasonable rates. Tel. West 2544
65571 F 23



RENT THE SPARE ROOM

You can increase your weekly income by renting one or more of your extra rooms. Vacant space costs money. You are paying rent for it, but you do not use it. Make it yield an income by renting it to some congenial person.

In this way you can obtain extra revenue to meet the ever-increasing housekeeping bills.

THE CHINA PRESS
"The paper with the want ads."

EXCHANGE AND MART

WRIGHT AND BELYEA. For House boats and Motor boats. Works Woosung. Telephone Central 1133.
T. F.

FOR SALE. Microscope by Beck, London, double nose-piece, 2-3 and 1-6 objectives, 3 eye pieces and Abbe condenser. Complete in box. Price T75, or nearest offer. Also French binoculars, x 12, T50. Apply to Box 70, THE CHINA PRESS.
65689 F 22

FOR SALE, six weeks old imported German Police pups. The very best, can be seen from 2 to 7 p.m. at 3 Young Allen Terrace.
6568

VIOLIN for sale. Stainer's original violin for sale, reasonable price accepted. For inspection and particulars apply Signor Antonelli, c-o Continented Hotel, 89 Szechuen Road. Telephone Central 2508.
65687 F 24

READING Standard motor cycle and sidecar, in first class condition. $500 or nearest offer, 53A, Range Road. North 1640.
65676 F 21

SITTING ROOM suite, seven pieces. What offer? 53A, Range Road.
65676 F 21

WHITE calico 35" 42 yards $16 per piece. Longcloth No. 500 36" 40 yards $30 per piece. Nainsook N. S. K. O. 40" 12 yards $12 per piece. Probst Hanbury and Co., Ltd., Sundries Department, 5th floor, 21 Jinkee Road.
65479 M 13

FOR SALE, cheap, one Victrola with 65 records, in excellent condition. Apply 12 Darroch Road.
65617 F 20

BARGAINS are to be obtained in samples each day from $1 upwards at Sample Sales Department of The British Manufacturers Agency Ltd., 21, Jinkee Road, ground floor.
T. F. 21

TREES for sale. Fast growing American stock trees of one year, two years and three years growth at $1, $2.50 and $5.00 respectively. Delivery to be taken at No. 15 Nanking Road. Apply Asia Realty Co., 15 Nanking Road. Central 65.
No. 28

MENTAL TESTS FAIL AS GUAGE ORIGINATOR SAYS

Cincinnati.—Intelligence tests measure the combined natural and acquired ability of the individual to deal promptly and correctly with various questions, but are not a guage of what he actually will do, Dr. J. McKeen Cattell, originator of the tests, and newly elected president of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, declared before the psychologists' branch of the organisation today.

Tests applied to students tell what they will do, he declared, adding that "the men who build cities and railways and industries are not selected by intelligence tests."

LINCOLN AND DARWIN

Declaring it is impossible to tell whether the intelligence displayed in the tests is due to heredity or environment or a portion of each, Dr. Cattell pointed out that Lincoln and Darwin were born on the same day, Lincoln with no hereditary advantages, but high natural ability and the opportunity of circumstance, and Darwin with an excellent family background. Both became great men. "But if the two infants had been exchanged, there would have been no Lincoln and no Darwin," he declared.

Scientists turned back the pages of history today and paid tribute to Francis Bacon, one of their co-workers of three centuries ago, who was hailed as the founder of modern research.

The discussion of the early history of science brought from Dr. Harry E. Barnes, of Smith College, Northampton, a denial of what he declared was general belief that the renaissance and reformation of mediaeval history had brought about an advance in scientific study. To the contrary, he declared in a paper prepared by him and read before the association, both periods had "clogged the progress of science" rather than encouraged it.

The only advance of science attributable to the renaissance, he said, was the indirect result of the revival of the writings of old Greek scientists, and the reformation period was distinctly discouraging to research work because of religious intolerance.

ECONOMICS, TOO

While the historical section was lauding Bacon the discussions of other groups strayed far afield from subjects ordinarily considered as within the province of the savant. Railways, life insurance and community spirit, were among the subjects taken up. All, however, had a bearing upon the work of specialised groups of the association.

Condemnation of the Eech-Cummins Transportation act came from H. T. Newcomb, general solicitor of the Delaware and Hudson Railroad Company. "If private ownership is to survive, the railway expansion of the next decade must largely be financed by the sale of stock to the public." Mr. Newcomb declared, adding that "after nearly four years of experiment with the Transporation act" railway shares are not attractive.

World's Greatest Warship Joins The United States Navy

The West Virginia, greates t warship afloat, has just been co mmissioned at Norfolk, Va. It is the last battleship America can build for ten years under the Naval Disarmament Treaty. The West Virginia carries a main battery of eight 16-inch guns.

Growth In Exports Of American Manufactures To The Non-Manufacturing World

BY O. P. AUSTIN
Statistican, The National City Bank of New York
(Foreign Press Service)

The fact that the United States has this year made a big increase in her exportation of manufactures may not be agreeable news to the manufacturers of Europe but it is "news" and therefore they ought to know it from the plain business standpoint.

The total value of the exports of manufactures from the United States in the year 1923 will be about twenty-five percent greater in value than in the preceding year, the calendar year 1922. The latest detailed figures are those of the month of October and they show finished manufactures exported in the ten months of 1923 at $1,244,000,000 against $1,068,000,000 in the same months of last year, and manufactures for further use in manufacturing $464,000,000 against $368,000,000 in the same months of last year, which means that the exports of manufactures in the full year will total more than $2,000,000,000 and that the increase in value over last year will be about twenty-five percent, while foodstuffs are showing a will be about twenty-five percent, and crude material for manufacturing but a slight increase.

THREE GROUPS

The exports of the country are properly divided into three groups, manufactures, foodstuffs and raw material, and while the exports of manufactures show an increase of nearly twenty-five percent the combined group of foodstuffs and raw materials shows practically no change.

This fact that the exportation of manufactures is increasing approximately twenty-five percent while the other exports are at a standstill suggests the inquiry as to the sections of the world to which these increasing manufactures are going. It would not be expected of course that there would be any material increase of manufactures to Europe and the fact that the total exports of all merchandise to Europe show a fall of $50,000,000 and that to North America other than the United States an increase of $175,000,000, to South America a gain of $45,000,000, to Asia and Oceania an increase of $56,000,000 and to Africa a gain of about $5,000,000, suggests that the increase in exportation of manufactures must have gone chiefly to the non-manufacturing sections of the world.

And when we consider that manufactures from about ninety percent of the merchandise moving from the United States to the non-manufacturing sections of the world, the Americas, Asia and Oceania and Africa, it is quite apparent that the big increase in United States shipments to the non-manufacturing sections above noted accounts for the increase of twenty-five percent in the value of manufactures passing out of the United States in 1923 when compared with 1922. To Canada, which is a large purchaser of American manufactures, the increase is nearly $100,000,000, to Cuba alone an increase of $50,000,000, and to South America as a whole an increase of $45,000,000, to Australia and New Zealand $38,000,000, and to Asia as a whole $20,000,000, the increase to Asia being chiefly in the movements to Japan, the Dutch East Indies and the Straits Settlements.

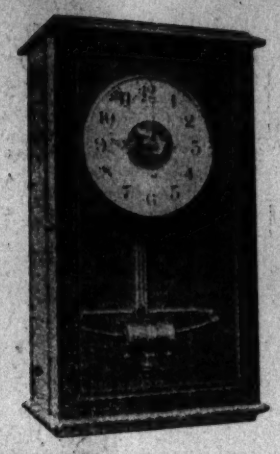
BUILDING UP

It is thus apparent that the United States is building up her exports to the non-manufacturing world and this increase is emphasised by the fact that manufactures formed in the ten months ending with October fifty-two percent of the total exports as against forty-seven percent in the corresponding months of the preceding year. These gains in the exportation of American manufactures are also made in the face of increases in the price of most of the foreign material used in the production of the exported manufactures.

Take crude india rubber as an example; the price of the imported article—all of the rubber which we used in the United States is brought from abroad—advanced from fourteen cents a pound in September, 1922 to twenty-five cents in September, 1923. Of raw silk—and the United States has become a considerable exporter of silk manufactures—the import price in September, 1923 was $7.37 against $6.90 in September of last year, and of course all of the raw silk used in the United States for manufacturing comes from abroad. Clothing wool advanced from twenty-three cents a pound to thirty-five cents, combing wool from thirty-three cents to thirty-five cents, and carpet wool from nineteen cents to twenty-three cents a pound, and the United States is beginning to be a considerable exporter of woolen goods. Tin, of which none is produced in the United States came into that country in September, 1922 at thirty-one cents a pound and in September, 1923 at thirty-nine cents. So the increase of twenty-five percent in the value of manufactures exported is made in the face of increasing prices of the principal classes of foreign material brought from abroad for use in the factories.

Wrigley's Gum
Peppermint Coated

The China Press Want Ads Office: No. 17 Nanking Road



THE "BULLE-CLOCK"

"A revolution in clock production"

NO WINDING CLEANING REPAIRS TROUBLE

"The simplest mechanism ever conceived"

TEN SECONDS TO START

TEN YEARS ACCURACY

SIXTY-FIVE DOLLARS ONLY, RETAIL PRICE

J. ULLMANN AND Company
HIGH-CLASS JEWELLERS
NANKING ROAD
SOLE AGENTS FOR FAR EAST

ST. GEORGE'S

Watch the Future

You'll be surprised.

Among the qualities to be particularly noted in KLIM MILK and often found lacking in other brands, are

- Freedom from Sediment, Low percentage of moisture
- True milk flavor
- Absence of undesirable bacteria
- Proper percentage of butterfat
- Presence of albumin in natura state

Try a trial package containing one pound Whole Milk, one pound Skimmed Milk, a measuring spoon and De Luxe Cook Book, Price $2.00

FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS

GETZ BROS & Co. of the ORIENT, Ltd.
Distributors

PERMANENT REDUCTIONS

Our reductions are based on the prices of leather in the U. S. A.

Look over our prices as they are NOW! AND COMPARE THEM WITH THOSE OF A SHORT TIME AGO!

	Formerly	Now
Black Boots	$13.00	$11.00
„ Shoes	$11.00, 11.50	$9.00 9.50
„ Brogues	$13.50	$11.00
Brown Boots	$13.50	$11.50
„ Shoes	$11.50, 12.00	$9.50 10,00
„ Brogues	$13.50	$11.50
Ladies, New Styles in any Colour	$12.50 / 13.00	$10.00 / 9.50
Ladies' Patent Pumps	$10.50	$8.50

WE WILL COPY ANY MAKE OF SHOE AT ORDINARY PRICES

CHUNG HWA SHOE Co.
P566 NANKING ROAD

MUMM CAFE

TONIGHT !

MONSTER MASQUERADE BALL !

BEAUTIFUL COSTUMES !

SCORES OF PRIZES !

FUN GALORE !

DON'T MISS IT

TONIGHT !

MUMM CAFE

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China

Incorporated in England by Royal Charter 1853

Capital £3,000,000
Reserve Fund £2,800,000

Head Office:
38 Bishopsgate London, E. C.
Shanghai Branch: 18 *The Bund*

Court of Directors
Sir Montagu Cornish Turner Chairman.
T. Cuthbertson, Esq.,
Sir Alfred Dent, K.C.M.G.
Sir William Henry Neville Goschen, K.B.E.
The Rt. Hon. Lord George Hamilton, G.C.S.I.
The Right Honourable Sir John Newell Jordan, G.C.M.G., G.C.I.E., K.C.B.
W. Foot Mitchell, Esq., M.P.
James Maxwell Grant Prophit, Esq.
Lewis Alexander Wallace Esq.
Colin Frederick Campbell, Esq.
Bankers:
The Bank of England.
The Midland Bank Limited.
Westminster Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Limited.
The National Bank of Scotland, Limited.
Agencies and Branches:

Alor Star	Haiphong	Peking
(Kedah)	Hongkong	Penang
Amritsar	Hoilo	Puket
Bangkok	Ipoh	Rangoon
Batavia	Karachi	Saigon
Bombay	Kiang	Samarang
Calcutta	Kobe	Seremban
Canton	Kuala-Lumpur	Shanghai
Cawnpore	Madras	Singapore
Cebu	Manila	Sourabaya
Colombo	Medan	Taiping
Delhi	New York	Tavoy
Hankow	Zamboanga	Tientsin
		Yokohama

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought and received for collection. Travellers' Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking business undertaken.

C. J. SCOTT,
Manager.

銀行兌實江浙

The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital $2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund .....$ 420,000.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department.

LI MING,
General Manager

Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office,
C. 7121 to 7124, General Office
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK," Shanghai.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger S. A.

(Affiliated to the Societe Generale de Belgique.)

	Frs.
Capital (subscribed)	100,000,000
Capital (paid up)	75,000,000
Reserve	24,000,000

Head office: Brussels
Branches and Agencies at:
LONDON, PARIS, NEW YORK, BUCHAREST, BRAILA, COLOGNE CAIRO, ALEXANDRIA, PEKING, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, HANKOW.
Allied Banks:
BANCO DE CARTAGENA, MADRID, with Branches in SPAIN and MOROCCO
WIENER BANK-VEREIN, VIENNA, with Branches in AUSTRIA, HUNGARIA, ITALY (TYROL), YUGOSLAVIA, POLAND and RUMANIA
ALLGEMEINER BOEHMISCHER BANK-VEREIN, PRAGUE, with Branches in CZECHO-SLOVAKIA
BANQUE FRANCO-BELGE DE BULGARIE S. A., SOFIA.
LANDESBANK FUER BOSNIEN-UND HERCEGOVINA, SERAJEVO, with Branches in YUGOSLAVIA.
Correspondents in all parts of the world.
Every description of banking business transacted.

A. DONNAY,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued & fully paid-up..$20,000,000

Reserve Fund:—
Sterling .....£ 4,500,000
Silver $24,500,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $20,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG.
Court of Directors:
Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang, Chairman,
D. G. M. Bernard, Esq. Deputy Chairman.
A. H. Compton, Esq.
G. T. M. Edkins, Esq.
Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak.
W. L. Pattenden Esq.
J. A. Plummer Esq.
J. P. Warren, Esq.
N. L. Watson, Esq.
W. P. White, Esq.
CHIEF MANAGER:
Hongkong:
Hon. Mr. A. G. STEPHEN.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy	Harbin	Peking
Bangkok	Iloilo	Penang
Batavia	Ipoh	Rangoon
Bombay	Johore	Saigon
Calcutta	Kobe	S. Francisco
Canton	Kuala-Lumpur	Shanghai
Chefoo	Lumpur	Singapore
Colombo	London	Sourabaya
Dairen	Lyons	Sungei-Patani
Foochow	Malacca	Tientsin
Haiphong	Manila	Tsingtao
Hamburg	Nagasaki	V'divostock
Hankow	New York	Yokohama

London Bankers:
The Westminster Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12 The Bund
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Local Bills Discounted.
Credits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

G. H. STITT.
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid)	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,960,000
Capital Contributed by the Chinese Government	Kup. Tls. 3,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head Office:
Paris, 9 Rue Bordreau
London Office:
64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie and Co.
Societe Generale pour favoriser le developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Paris: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Banque de Paris et des Paye-Bas.
Lyons: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Development du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Milan: Credito Italiaro.
Rome: Banco di Roma.
New York: Irving Bank—Columbia Trust Company.
San Francisco: The Crocker National Bank of San Francisco.

BRANCHES IN ASIA

Chanchun	Harbin	Shanghai
Chefoo	Hongkong	Peking
Dairen	Manchouli	Tientsin
Hailar	Kashgar	Yokohama
Hankow	Newchwang	Urumtchi

SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars. Terms on application. Local Bills discounted.
Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.
SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES.
L. Jesierski,
P. Petithuguenin,
Ch. Bleuler,
Managers for Branches in Asia.

Bank of Communications

(Specially authorised and made a National Bank by Presidential Mandates of April 7th, 1911 and October 21st, 1915).
Capital: Dollars 20,000,000.00
President: Hon. Mr. Chang Chien,
Vice-President: Mr. Chien Yung-Ming.
HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement. Credit granted on approved securities. Special Facilities for Transfers to all parts of China.
SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 The Bund
Shen Chu Hsu Manager.
T. D. Woo, Sub-Manager.
S. T. Huang, Sub-Manager.
S. Y. Yuen, Sub-Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.00 will be received.
Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.
Interest at the rate of 3½ % per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.
The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.
Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.
Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transaction will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.
OFFICE HOURS, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Ltd.

Incorporated 1912.
Capital Authorised ..£1,200,000-0-0
Capital Paid-up £1,076,515-0-0
Reserve Fund H. K. $ 500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central Hongkong.

BRANCHES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton, Hankow and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

Honolulu	S. Francisco	Kobe
London	Sourabaya	Batavia
Manila	Singapore	Canada
Yokohama	Samarang	etc.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of banking and Exchange business transacted.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT
Savings deposits are cordially invited. Favorable terms are given. Accounts will be kept in Dollars or Taels, at depositors option.

WONG WEN KUANG,
Manager.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital ..... $ 7,500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
EXECUTIVE OFFICE:
SHANGHAI

BRANCHES:

PEKING	SHANGHAI
TSINAN	HARBIN
HANKOW	SHIHKIACHWANG
TIENTSIN	

Correspondents throughout the World including the Interior of China.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
11A Nanking Road
Telegraphic Address:
"Sinambank" Shanghai
Codes Used:
Bentley's Complete Phrase
Western Union Code
Whitelaw's 401 Millions Code

Transacting a General Banking Business, Issuing Drafts and Making Telegraphic Transfers, Buying and Selling Foreign Exchange, Issuing Commercial and Circular Letters of Credit, Allowing Interest on Fixed Deposits, Current Accounts, and Savings Accounts.

YOUR BANKING BUSINESS SOLICITED

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital .. 73,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital 48,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20) 69,500,000.00
HEAD OFFICE:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Hanoi	Tourane
Haiphong	Hankow	Tientsin
Peking	Canton	Mengtze
Hongkong	Pondichery	Bangkok
Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
Papeete	Djibouti	Yunnanfu
Pnom-Penh	Battambang	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

International Banking Corporation

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS
U. S. $10,000,000.00
Owned by the National City Bank of New York

HEAD OFFICE:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
LONDON OFFICE:
16 BISHOPSGATE, E. C.

BRANCHES

Barcelona	Manila
Batavia	Panama
Bombay	Peking
Calcutta	Rangoon
Canton	San Francisco
Cebu	Santo Domingo
Colon	Shanghai
Dairen	Singapore
Hankow	Soerabaya
Harbin	Tientsin
Hongkong	Tokio
Kobe	Yokohama
Madrid	

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts and Savings Bank accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.
We are also able to offer our Customers the service of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of Europe, South America and in the West Indies.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
11A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1920

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $19,760,100.00
Reserve Fund $ 6,033,345.41

Head Office: Peking
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dairy	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

etc., etc., etc.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
22 The Bund
Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(*Netherlands Trading Society*)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,769,181 (about £1,647,432)
Special Reserve: Guilders 23,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency BATAVIA

Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongan
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Samarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1916)

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund $290,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers .... C. 1929 Manager's Office. C. 6468) C. 6469) General Office. C. 6470) C. 5620 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hsuchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengteh	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
ANTUNG	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
CANTON	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
CHANGCHUN	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

Established 1915
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)
Paid Up Capital...$2,500,000.00 Reserve Funds...$470,000.00
Head Office: 9 Ningpo Rd. Sub-Branches: 115 Szechuen Rd. 206 Boundary Rd. Travel Dept. 97 Szechuen Rd.

Branches and Agencies in the principal cities throughout China.
Correspondents at the principal places abroad.

Banking Department	Savings Department Foreign Exchange Dept. Godown Department Safe Deposit Boxes	Trust Department
Travel Department		Credit Department

Telephone to all Branches and departments Central 8050

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

The National Commerical Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907

Capital Fully Paid Up $2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund $850,828.80
Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Munich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka, Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold,
Credit granted on approved securities,
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT

If you have business in the Far East—

The kind of a bank you need to help you is one whose business is exclusively of the Far East—

A BANK whose name and reputation will win the respect and confidence of your customers—a bank that is versed in the methods of the East: that knows its customs and markets—a bank that is your experienced business counselor as well as your financial agent.

Such a Bank is the

EQUITABLE EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION

ORGANISED and managed by the officers and directors of The Equitable Trust Company of New York, it will give you the same prestige abroad and the same personal service that distinguishes the parent organisation—with the added convenience of a separate bank devoted exclusively to Oriental business.

Call at our New York or Shanghai Offices, and let us tell you how we can help you.

EQUITABLE EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION
37 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
SHANGHAI OFFICE: 6 KIUKIANG ROAD
Capital Surplus and Undivided Profits U. S. $2,850,000
CENTRAL 7944. A. E. SCHUMACHER, Manager

工商銀行

Head Office: Hongkong. Branch Office: Hankow.

THE INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.

Shanghai Branch
81 KIANGSE ROAD

Every description of banking transacted. Correspondents in China and abroad.
Telegraphic Address: "KONGSHAN."

CHU KINHOW, Manager.
Tel. Nos. C.2204, 5816 and 6661. Shanghai Branch.

東亞銀行

The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 10 Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital $ 5,003,000.00
Reserved Fund $ 750,000.00
HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon,
LONDON BANKERS: The Midland Bank Limited.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

Sino-Italian Bank

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars. 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold lt. Lire 16,000,000
Paid up Capital .. Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold lt. Lire 4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver $150,000
Head Office: Shanghai,
Branches:
Shanghai and Tientsin
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano,
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge,
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de la Bale, Leu and Co.'s Bank.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies, Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091
Managers' Office Central 5094.

C. MARMONT,
General Manager.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Korea Maru	Jan. 28
Shabonee	Feb. 3
President Lincoln	Feb. 4
Shinyo Maru	Feb. 8
Stuart Dollar	Feb. 10
President Taft	Feb. 18
Siberia Maru	Feb. 20

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Russia	Feb. 10

FOR PORTLAND ORE.

Eldridge	Jan. 27
President McKinley	Feb. 1
Alabama Maru	Feb. 2
Iyo Maru	Feb. 4
West Niger	Feb. 7
West Cayote	Feb. 13

FOR SEATTLE

Wawalona	Jan. 22
Hannawa	Jan. 23
Dewey	Jan. 30
Montague	Feb. 2
Storviken	Feb. 3
Bakesfield	Feb. 11
President Jackson	Feb. 13
Crosskeys	Feb. 16
Iwatesan Maru	Feb. 16

FOR NEW YORK

Kendal Castle	Jan. 21
Edgefield	Jan. 22
Hanover	Jan. 24
Hamburg Maru	Jan. 25
Gothic Prince	Jan. 28
President Harrison	Feb. 1
Wray Castle	Feb. 5
Liberator	Feb. 13
Izion	Feb. 18
Mayebashi Maru	Feb. 18
Eelbeck	Feb. 20

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Macedonia	Jan. 23
Lycaon	Jan. 24
City of Cambridge	Jan. 25
Suwa Maru	Jan. 26
Tottori Maru	Jan. 28
Hyson	Jan. 30
Mentor	Feb. 3
Kashgar	Feb. 5
Cyclops	Feb. 7
Fushimi Maru	Feb. 9
Talthybius	Feb. 15
Syria	Feb. 15
Phemius	Feb. 16
Durban Maru	Feb. 16
City of Canterbury	Feb. 17
Phemius	Feb. 19
Morea	Feb. 19
Demodocus	Feb. 20

FOR BARCELONIA

Isla de Panay	Jan. 24

FOR HAMBURG

Schlesien	Jan. 27
Emil Kirdorf	Feb. 1
Celebes Maru	Feb. 4
Saarbruecken	Feb. 5

FOR ROTTERDAM

Oldkerk	Feb. 4

FOR COPENHAGEN

Annam	Jan. 28

FOR MARSEILLES

Amboise	Feb. 1
Soudan	Feb. 16

FOR TRIESTE

Duchess D'Aosta	Jan. 1
Anna	Feb. 18

FOR INDIA

Silverbirch	Feb. 3
Poleric	Feb. 5
Soudan	Feb. 16
Takada	Feb. 20

FOR NAURA (OCEAN ISLAND)

Emlynian	Feb. 1
Stratkfillan	Feb. 17

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on February 19, 1924.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	„	18-30
Pork	„	30-40
Veal	„	24-36
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	25-30
Cod	„	25-30
Mandarin	„	40-60
Mackerel	„	25-30
Pomfret	„	40-50
Salmon	„	30-35
Samli	„	none
Soles	„	30-35
Whitebait	„	30-35
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	$2.00-$2.50
Eggs	per doz.	25-30
Fowl	per lb.	25-30
Hare	each	40-50
Partridge	„	40-50
Pheasant	„	none
Geese	„	$1.20-$1.50
Plover	„	none
Pigeons	„	25-30
Quail	„	20-30
Snipe	„	18-20
Teal	„	18-20
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Woodcock	each	50-60
Wild Duck	„	50-60
Duck	„	80-$1.00
Wild Pigeon	„	10-15
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	„	18-20
Bananas	„	8-10
Chestnuts	„	12-14
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Figs	ped. doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	„	9-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Oranges	„	12-16
Peaches	„	none
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	„	none
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	none
Pears	„	16-20
Peeboes	„	none
Plums	„	none
Pumeloes	each	25-30
Pineapples	„	none
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	„	15-18
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	3-4
Asparagus	per doz.	none
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Broad Beans	„	6-8
Cabbages	each	5-10
Celery	per bunch	10-12
Carrots	„	4-5
Cauliflower	each	10-15
Egg Plant	per lb.	8-10
French Beans	„	10-12
Green Corn	„	none
Peas	„	none
Leeks	per bunch	4-5
Parsnips	„	7-9
Potatoes	per picul	$2.00-$3.50
Radishes	per bunch	1-2
Onions	per lb.	10-12
Spinach	„	4-6
Tomatoes	„	10-14
Turnips	per bunch	2-3
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	50 lbs.	$4.20
Flour, Shanghai	„	$2.60
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.40
Barley	„	$4.80
Rice	per 200 lbs.	11.40
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	„	$0.25
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton	Tls. 18.75
House Coal	„	18.75

E. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Closed

Banks	Closing Quotations
Stock	
H. & S. Banks	H.$1,100
Chartered	£19⅝
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$725 S.
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H.$235½
Yangtsze	H.$27
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$140 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$650
Shipping	
Indo-China Del.	H.$133½
Indo-China Pref.	H.$33½ B.
"Shell"	91/6 B.
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 81 B.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 53 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21 B.
Oriental Cons.	13/-
Raub	$5.10
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$167½
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 90 B.
New, Ning. Works	Tls. 5.80 B.
" Pref.	Tls. 4.90 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 191 B.
Hongkong Wharf	H.$180 S.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$50 B.
S'hai Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land.	Tls. 120 B.
Shanghai Land.	Tls. 118 B.
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 51
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 12.40 S.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 113½ B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 4¾ B.
Shanghai Cotton.	Old 65 B. New 40 B.
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	Tls. 276 B.
Green Island	Tls. 37¾ B.
Langkats	Tls. 32½ B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 90
Stores	
Hall and Holts	Tls. 7 B.
Llewslyn	Tls. 35 B.
Lane Crawford	Tls. 104 B.
Moutrie	$70
Watson	H.$25½ B.
Weeks	Tls. 11
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 6.30 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.25 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6.15 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2½ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 23 B.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.97½
Bute	Tls. 0.70 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.07½B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.05 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 5 B.
Cheng	Tls. 1¼ B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2¼ B.
Dominion	Tls. 1.80 B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 9¼ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 13 B.
Kali Glideks	Tls. 5.15 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 12
Karan	Tls. 6
Kedah	Tls. 1 B.
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 1 B.
Krogwoek Java	Tls. 13 B.
Padang	Tls. 6½
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1¼ S.
Permata	Tls. 2.40 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.92½B.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.72½B.
Seekees	Tls. 0.95 B.
Semambu	Tls. 1.37½
Senawang	Tls. 0.95 B.
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.62½B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 4 B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 8¾ B.
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 0.75 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1¼
Sungei Duri	Tls. 7¾ B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3¼
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.80
Taiping	Tls. 0.65 B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.75
Tebong	Tls. 1.22½B.
Ziangbee	Tls. 3.30 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 14 S.
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 163 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 45 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50 B.
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 72 B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 145 B.

S. Sellers, Sa. Saled, B. Buyers

Stock Exchange

Transactions

Today's Quotations

Shanghai, February 20, 1924

OFFICIAL

S.M.C. 6% Stg. Loans £105.10.0
S.M.C. 6% Debs. 1923 Tls. 99.00
S. & H. Wharf Tls. 192.50
Telephones Tls. 73.00
Langkats (Single) Tls. 12.25

UNOFFICIAL

Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls 12.40 Mar.

Money Exchange

Shanghai, February 20, 1924

Mex. Dollar market rate	71.625
Native Interest	04
Copper Cash	256.500
Shanghai Gold Bar	311.30
Bar Silver	33⅞
Bank rate of Discount	4%
Paris on London	103.10
New York on London	429¾
London:	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/3½
Demand	3/3⅝
New York:	
Telegraphic Transfer	70¾
Demand	71

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.
BANKS SELLING RATES

London T.T.	3/3½
London Demand	3/3⅝
London 4 m-s.	3/3¾
India T.T.	231¾
France T.T.	1685
America T.T.	70¾
Hongkong T.T.	71
Japan T.T.	64¼
Batavia T.T.	196½
Straits T.T.	71½

BANKS BUYING RATES

London 4 m-s. Credits	3/5½
London 4 m-s. Docts	3/5¾
London 6 m-s. Credits	3/6
London 6 m-s. Docts	—
France 4 m-s.	1765
America 4 m-s. L/c.	74¼
Docs.	74¾

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 71½ = Tls. 139.86
@ exch. 71.9 = Mex. $194.52
Sovereign: Bank Buying Rate
@ 3s. 4¼d. = Tls. 5.96
@ exch. 71.9 = Mex. $8.29

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR FEBRUARY

Hk. Tls. 5.40	@ 3/3⅞	£1
Hk. Tls. 1.27	@ 70⅝	Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1505½	Fr. 16.77
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Marks —
Hk. Tls.	@ 64⅝	Yen 1.72
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 228⅝	Rupees 2.55
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 16.15	Ital. Lire 17.99

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America	70½
Demand buying on America	71½
Demand selling on London	3/3⅜
Demand buying on London	3/4¼

Chinese Government Bonds
(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Tuesday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	96.00	96.00
5th Year 6%	67.50	67.50
7th Year 6%	52.50	53.50
9th Year 6%	77.00	77.20
6% Consolidated	58.00	58.80
7% Consolidated	67.00	67.00
11th Year 8%	97.00	97.00
96 Millions 8%	18.40	19.00

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANK'S BUYING RATE
Roubles 575,000 ..... Taels 100
Roubles 100 ..... Mex. $0.03

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
Bank's Selling Rates
It. Lire 16.40 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 4.06 = 1 Tael
It. Lire 10.30 = 1 Yen

Silk Report

In their weekly report on the Silk market, Messrs. William Little and Company write as follows:

Our last report was dated February 1.

The market was closed for practically the whole of last week due to the China New Year holidays.

A small business is reported in Common New Style at higher rates in view of small supplies.

Both Yellow and White Steams are on the easy side, but in view of the advance in exchanges and especially in Francs they have proved of little interest.

Tsatlee Filatures.—SSS Mars. 1 Tls. 935.

Common New Style Tls. 905 to 925.

EXPORT FROM SHANGHAI

From June 1 to date 12,236 bales white and 8,787 bales yellow.

To London 973 bales.

To France 1,808 bales white and 677 bales white.

To Italy and Switzerland 147 bales white and 8 bales yellow.

To America 6,786 bales.

To India and Levant 1,732 bales white and 7,856 bales yellow.

To Coast, Hongkong and Straits 1,036 bales.

Steam filatures to Europe, etc., 10,538 bales and America 13,354 bales.

Yellow steam 5,432 bales.

Wild silk to Europe, etc., 1,548 bales and America 4,154 bales.

SETTLEMENTS

piculs

Settlements for Europe, &c.,

White Silk	5,500
Settlements for Europe, &c., Yellow Silk	9,000
Settlements for America, White Silk	6,800
	21,300
Stock in Shanghai, White Silk	2,000
Yellow Silk	2,500
Visible Supply for season to date	25,800
Stock in Shanghai, Wild Silk	100

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, February 20, 1924

OFFICIAL

S.M.C. 6% Debs. 1923 Tls. 99.00

UNOFFICIAL

Trams "B" Tls. 163.00
Race Club 6½% Debs. Tls. 100.00

EXPORTS FROM JAPAN SLUMP; IMPORTS HIGH

Trade With China In January Develops Adverse Balance

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 8.—The trade between Japan and China during January totalled Yen 16,591,000 of exports and Yen 21,427,000 imports, which means an excess of imports to the amount of Yen 4,836,000.

Compared with the corresponding period of the preceding year, an excess of exports, amounting to Yen 4,551,000, has been converted into a deficit of an almost equivalent amount.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 5.—Japan's foreign trade during the month of January showed a total of Yen 320,295,000. Of this amount imports amounted to Yen 210,137,000, and exports Yen 110,158,000, the excess of the former being practically Yen 100,000,000. The chief exports were:

Marine Products.	Yen 1,520,000
Refined Sugars	2,025,000
Coal	1,608,000
Raw Silk	45,444,000
Cotton Yarn	4,390,000
Cotton Cloths	20,133,000
Hosiery	1,284,000
Porcelain	1,546,000

The outstanding imports were:

Raw Cotton	Yen 46,311,000
Steel	19,262,000
Lumber	13,111,000
Wool	9,980,000
Oilcake	9,290,000
Beans	7,408,000
Wheat	6,826,000
Sugar	5,297,000

Compared with January 1923

Marine Products	—Yen	220,000
Refined Sugars.	+	1,225,000
Coal	—	89,000
Raw Silk	+	13,116,000
Cotton Yarn	—	2,808,000
Cotton Cloths	+	3,086,000
Hosiery	—	335,000
Porcelain	+	66,000

The outstanding imports were:

Raw Cotton	—Yen	4,404,000
Steel	+	12,112,000
Lumber	+	8,382,000
Wool	+	2,883,000
Oilcake	+	1,854,000
Beans	+	3,430,000
Wheat	+	5,252,000
Sugar	+	1,816,000

Britain To Urge Cotton Cultivation

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 19.—In the House of Commons today, replying to Sir Leonard Lyle, Unionist Member for Epping, Mr. Sidney Webb, the President of the Board of Trade, stated that the government considered an increase in the world's supply of raw cotton as most important and had every intention of carrying on the policy of promoting cotton growing within the empire.

PARIS-LONDON RATE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 19.—The Paris-London cross-rate is quoted today at: £1 = 92.90 francs.

C 2240
UNIVERSAL HIRE SERVICE
Serves U Right—Day & Night
$1 First 20 Min. $3 per Hr.

WORLD'S RECORD ELECTRIC ARC.

Above is shown a high voltage arc 55 feet long, produced in the Westinghouse Company's New York laboratory by the highest volt transformer in the world—1,000,000 volts in a single minute. This supervoltage broke all arc records. If transmission lines were not designed with sufficient protective devices, arcs like this might break loose at any time. In order to insure safe transmission of supervoltage equipment must be built to withstand tests several times as severe as they would meet in service.

Adminstration Of Tsingtao Rapped By Loyang Agent

Says Pro-Japanese Influence Is Responsible For Present Conditions

Tsingtao, Feb. 12.—In an interview given last night to the local correspondents General Chen Kan, right-hand man of Marshal Wu Pei-fu and high advisor to the former German-leased Kiaochow Territory, scathingly denounced the present administration of both Kiaochow and Shantung Province "as vicious and corrupt," characterizing the high officials as "largely a gang of opium-smoking obstructionists, opposed to civic betterment and enemies of progress."

General Chen declared that within a month's time there will be a wholesale house-cleaning in the territory and "the corrupt ring" will be ousted for all time. He went on record with the prediction that Kiaochow Territory shortly will be made an entirely independent and self-governing area. There will be complete divorcement from Shantung and Tsingtao and contiguous territory henceforth will be unhampered and unhindered by the controlling Tsinan party in Shantung politics.

The high advisor bitterly denounced the Tsinan element in Shantung affairs and directly charged it with the present state of affairs in the province. "The sooner Tsingtao is free from this obstruction and burden the better for this city. Tsingtao must be unhampered. It must have the opportunity to grow and expand. There are great potentialities here. This port could be made among the greatest in China."

Besides attacking the administration for its misuse of public moneys General Chen, who left for Loyang today to lay the whole matter before Marshal Wu Pei-fu, intimated that an even more sinister state of affairs exists than the facts would warrant. He called the conduct of the administration "decidedly pro-Japanese".

"For a long time I have noted the pro-Japanese trend of affairs here and it has been a matter of growing concern to me. The administration has constantly played into the hands of the Japanese. The Japanese influence is apparent everywhere. Who owns the electric light plant and the slaughter house? The Japanese. According to the terms of the Washington Disarmament Conference these were to be Chinese-controlled. They were in the beginning. One year of Chinese administration has brought another story, however."

General Chen also spoke of the rich Lu Ta Mining Corporation, nominally owned jointly by Chinese and Japanese capital. "The truth of the matter is that Japanese capital owns every cent of the stock. All the revenue of this most productive organisation is going into foreign hands."

He said that it made him heartsick to witness the low state of affairs to which Shantung and Kiaochow had fallen.

"Our officials knowingly or not, are playing right into the hands of this menacing Japanese influence. I say without fear of contradiction that Japan seeks to cast discredit on the ability of Kiaochow to administer her own affairs, looking toward some kind of an international administration here in which Japan would seek to predominate."

"The Japanese believe that if it can be proved to the world that China cannot properly administer affairs here popular opinion may demand a return, if not to Japanese administration, at least to control by some sort of an international agreement."

"The present administration is a disgrace to China to whom the nations of the world are constantly looking. The nations are vitally interested in Tsingtao and Shantung. There are enormous resources here. The surface has hardly been scratched.

"With a corrupt set of grafters in power appropriating public funds, obstructing all progressive legislation mismanaging affairs or not managing them at all, utilizing funds that should go to the operation of the several departments for private gain, leaving the faithful personnel unpaid and without the common necessities of life, forfeiting the confidence of the people and subverting law and order, aiding and abetting the enormous opium traffic, permitting arms to be landed—I could go on for hours bringing the gravest charges against the greed, dishonesty and total inefficiency of the present administration, appointed, sanctioned and controlled by Governor Hsiung Ping-chi. Actually the various departmental heads were selected by Ex-Premier Ching Yung-peng, a notorious pro-Japanese."

He then declared that the Central Government, for which, also, he serves as special advisor, and Marshal Wu have stood the state of affairs here as long as they can, and have resolved upon a general "clean-up."

Although his appointment is still without confirmation, General Chen stated his opinion that Mr. Kao En-hung, former Minister of Communications, will be made director-general of Kiaochow Territory in the new governmental entity here. Chen lauded Kao both for his honesty and efficiency and said that under the new administrator Tsingtao should realise its mighty possibilities.

"We do not want any pro-Japanese spirit here or any other leaning toward any particular nation. We want all the nations of the world to have equal rights and equal privileges in Kiaochow. Without the confidence of the nations, however, we can get nowhere. First we must establish an honest, efficient and progressive administration. In so doing we shall earn not only the respect of our own people but that of the foreigners.

"We want business men and capitalists the world over to know that they can repose trust and confidence in the government of Kiaochow. We want them to be assured that they can invest their capital here and know that it is safe."

The China Press want ads
OFFICE: No. 17 NANKING ROAD

Hughes & Thompson
PROCESSED RECORDS

PHONOGRAPH RECORDS
AT HALF PRICE
Made Possible by
The
Hughes & Thompson
PROCESSED RECORDS

A Processed Record is a used record of a standard make, (Columbia, Victor, Brunswick), treated so that all the beauty, tone and power of the original reproduction are brought out anew.

A wide selection of Classic, Opera, Dance, Vocal, Instrumental and Orchestral

Come In And Hear Them

Hughes & Thompson
50 NANKING ROAD
2nd Floor
NEAR HONAN ROAD

MATZENE — PHOTOGRAPHER
P. 360 Nanking Road
corner of Lloyd Road
SITTINGS BY APPOINTMENT
Tel. C. 1663

Blood Poisoning
Yet Another Grand Recovery

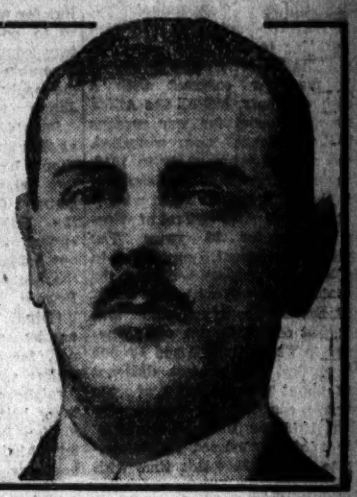
Our Portrait is of Mr. WILLIAM HARBORNE, of 6, Railway Road, Perry Bar, Birmingham, England, who writes:

"About two years ago I met with rather a bad accident. My arm was cut severely, and I had to have it stitched at the hospital. This caused me six weeks' absence from work, and after resuming my duties for one week I broke out all over my body with huge Boils. Again I went to the Hospital, and was treated for Blood Poisoning; this happened on three successive occasions, until I began to think I should never be cured. Then I gave Clarke's Blood Mixture a trial, and the first bottle or two seemed to be driving out the poison, so I persevered, and after taking ten bottles I was cured. It is now over twelve months since I left off taking your Clarke's Blood Mixture, and I have seen no signs of any further blood disorder."

CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE, by reason of its remarkable blood purifying properties, can be relied upon to give speedy relief and lasting benefit in cases of Eczema, Bad Legs, Abscesses, Ulcers, Boils, Pimples, Eruptions, Piles, Glandular Swellings, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Gout. Pleasant to take and free from anything injurious.

Of all Dealers. Ask for and see you get

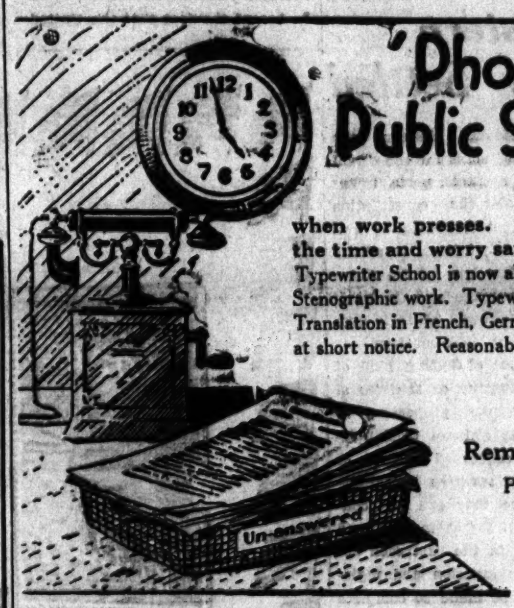
Clarke's Blood Mixture
"Everybody's Blood Purifier."



'Phone for a Public Stenographer

when work presses. The expense is negligible;—the time and worry saved, important. The Remington Typewriter School is now able to undertake every description of Stenographic work. Typewriting, Mimeograph Duplicating, etc. Translation in French, German, and Spanish. All work executed at short notice. Reasonable charges.

Telephone No. C. 1671
Remington Typewriter School
Principal: Mr. HUGH FARMER
Kiukiang Road, SHANGHAI



Important Notice

For the convenience of Classified Advertisers
Special WANT AD. Dept.
has been opened by
THE CHINA PRESS
AT
17, NANKING ROAD
(On the South Side, between Kiangse and Szechuen Roads)
The new department will be found in the large lobby on the Ground Floor. It is open every day from 8.30—12.30 and 2—6. Advertisers will be given a Box Number as usual and will please call for their replies.

ALL WANT ADS. MUST BE PREPAID

THE CHINA PRESS WANT AD. DEPT.
17, NANKING ROAD
Head Office: 14 Kiukiang Road (Second Floor): Tel. C. 1431

Wireless Controversy Is Discussed In Article

(The following is a translation of an article on the China wireless controversy written for the International Journal by Dr. Gilbert Reid.)

The Chinese Government in relation to establishing wireless connections with the rest of the world has from first to last made contracts with British, Japanese, American and other Companies. The contracts conflict, resulting in dispute between China and these respective Foreign Powers. First there is a commercial transaction and then comes in a multitude of political and diplomatic disputes, more unfortunate for China than for others. The present number of the Journal records the statement of an Englishman in the Far Eastern Times, of the London Times and of the American editor of the Far Eastern Review. We give a summary of the facts and point out certain principles bearing on the question.

The Chinese Government first made a contract with a British corporation in 1924 just before the war. The Ministry of Navy in 1917 made a contract with a Danish company, but all the Allied Powers protested for war reasons and the contract was cancelled. Three months later, early in 1918, a Japanese firm made a contract with the Ministry of Navy, whereby it received sole control of wireless business for 30 years. The British Government, an Ally in war, entered protest because the contract conflicted with the previous British contract and also with that of the Danish cable companies in which British and French held stock. The protest did not bring about cancellation of the Japanese contract. Towards the end of 1918 the British Company made another contract, supplementary to that of 1904 this time with the Ministry of Communications. This contract conflicted with the previous Japanese contract. Early in 1921 an American company made a contract with the Ministry of Communications, and towards the end of the same year made a supplementary agreement, increasing the cost. The British, Danish and Japanese Governments entered protest but without avail. The American Government, dealing especially with Japanese objections, said the Japanese contract allowed a monopoly and this was contrary to "the Open Door" idea of the Washington Conference.

And yet the American corporation has secured monopolistic rights in wireless communications with Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Norway and Poland in Europe, and with Japan in Asia. This is a puzzle: a monopoly for Japanese company is wrong, but right for an American company. It is doubted if the wireless business can succeed if there is competition; and so a monopoly is necessary. But for whom? The Japanese offered to co-operate with the American company, but there was no favorable response. Therefore monopoly or co-operation for Japan alike fails.

Such disputes should not be laid at China's doors to settle, but should be amicably settled between the friendly Powers themselves, namely, Great Britain, Japan and the United States. China has enough troubles of her own without being forced to decide between the rights and claims of outside Powers.

China, however, can be taught one lesson, namely, that she should not, for one reason or another, make conflicting contracts with foreigners. Such methods inevitably bring her into a clash with foreign Powers, and this is bad for China. She needs to cultivate harmony at home and abroad.

Report Chinese Eastern Land Dispute Settled

The Mukden authorities have settled the Chinese Eastern Railway lands dispute on the basis of the agreement given below, according to the Far Eastern Times of Peking. The text of the agreement, according to the Peking paper, is official:

According to Article 6 of the renewed C. E. R. Agreement the privileges and rights as well as the functions of the Railway Company must be strictly confined to those of a purely commercial nature and the said Company is not allowed to take part in anything of a political nature, and the Chinese Government shall have the right to place restrictions on the actions of the said Company.

Now the said Company have in violation of the Agreement issued land leases for the establishment of markets and streets, which is not only contrary to the regulations governing the purchase of land but also openly infringes China's administrative rights. Such a case of a commercial concern under Chinese rule in Chinese sovereign territory making administrative establishments is never found in any other country in the world. Thorough investigations have now revealed ample self-evident proofs that the said Company have gone far beyond their specified functions. The Commander-in-Chief of the Eastern Provinces deems it necessary to correct the actions hitherto taken by the said Company in violation of the agreement concerning land purchase. But, with a view to the prevention of misunderstanding at present the Commander-in-Chief thinks it wise to reserve the question to be brought up at a more opportune moment in the future.

CHINA'S ADMINISTRATIVE RIGHTS

As to matters relating to China's administrative rights, however, strict restrictions should at once be imposed on the said Company in accordance with the Agreement, in order to preserve China's sovereign rights. For this purpose the following regulations are hereby drawn up for enforcement:

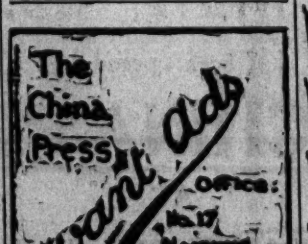
(1) The properties of the said Company originally acquired shall be maintained.

(2) Except the lands directly required for use by the Company and the buildings thereon, the drawing up of plans for the establishment of markets, ports, towns or villages and the construction work connected therewith as well as all other administrative affairs shall be undertaken by the Chinese authorities; the said Company shall not be allowed at their own will to take up such matters.

(3) In case of letting land of the said Company or transfer of other immovable properties or privileges the Chinese official departments concerned shall be petitioned for sanction and registration before they can be considered valid. Regarding the land leased or let in the past such applications for sanction and registration shall be made to complete the procedure now required.

(4) For the purpose of working for the prosperity and maintenance of the local market the property owners shall have the obligation to obey the orders or prohibitions concerning administrative establishments and to pay taxes imposed by the Chinese authorities in connection therewith, or imposed for the purpose of promoting public welfare.

(5) All the above provisions concern purely China's administrative rights and should be carried out forthwith.



Wrigley's Gum
Perfumes the Breath

ST. GEORGE'S

Watch the Future
You'll be surprised.

Mail At U. S. Consulate

Mail matter addressed to the follwing in care of the American Consulate-General, Shanghai, remained uncalled for on February 15, 1924.

Akeo, Robert
Alsterberg, B.
Austin, Jay C.

Berg, Karl
Brawner, M. F.
Brown, B.
Brown, B. F.
Brown, L.

Castle, H.
Clayton, Powell
Collins, A. A.
Cumings, Louise.

Dally, K.
Dally, R.
David, J. S.
Davis, Clara G.
Davis, W. Jefferson
Dean, F. E.

Ellis, John
Elders, Katherine
Ells, Maude

Fenwick, Jno W.
Ferguson, E. L.
Fergusson, F. K.
Fitzpatrick, John E.

Gaul, Earl O.
Georges, E. T.
Gready, Mathew

Harrell, Otho
Hayes, William F.
Hays, Ieo
Hirsch, Harry
Houston, J. B.
Hsin, Ha Tze
Hull, H. J. & Co.
Hull, M. V.
Hyland, J. J.

Jacobsen, F. S.
Johnson, T. Neal
Jolly, M. C.

Kadoorie, E. S.
Kelly, Jas
Keltz, W. F.
Kin-Cade
Kundson, Waldemar

Lahashaka, H.
Lane, L. B.
Lynch, E.

Macon, Frances X.
Marshalsia, G. W.
McMillan, Scott
McVay, Sylvester T.
Mill, John B.
Muehlenbruch, C. T.
Murdock, Frank C.

Palmares, Elesio
Parrish, Delbert

Rice, J. R.
Rock, J. F.

Sammis, E. B.
Sammons, Cecil
Sammons, C. E.
Seidlér, R. D.
Shanghai, Geo. A.
Singian, Dr.
Smith, E. L.
Thompson, B. E.
Tompkins, W. M.
Tuyler, A. W.

Veney, John Irvin.

Webb, Charles H.
Webb, Dr. U.
Whittaire, W.
Wilson, Daniel
Williams, O. F.
Wolfe, Mary
Worth, Illing

Zurholzer.

ARE YOU IN FAVOR OF THE BOK PEACE PLAN?

Mr. Harry Kingman of the Y. M. C. A. has been appointed China representative of the American Peace Award, which conducted the $100,000 gold peace prize in the United States and has been requested to conduct a referendum among Americans here on their approval or disapproval of the plan. THE CHINA PRESS has already published the full text of the prize winning plan and on the ballot below a brief resume is given.

The most urgent problem confronting the world today is that of discovering the road to peace. Whether or not the winning Bok plan is the idea that will put Peace on a workable basis is now being tested by leading newspapers all over the United States.

Cast your vote today on the ballot below and mail to Mr. Kingman at 120 Szechuen Road.

THE PLAN IN BRIEF

Proposes

I. That the United States shall immediately enter the Permanent Court of International Justice, under the conditions stated by Secretary Hughes and President Harding in February, 1923.

II. That without becoming a member of the League of Nations as at present constituted, the United States shall offer to extend its present co-operation with the League and participate in the work of the League as a body of mutual counsel under conditions which

1. Substitute moral force and public opinion for the military and economic force originally implied in Articles X and XVI.
2. Safeguard the Monroe Doctrine.
3. Accept the fact that the United States will assume no obligations under the Treaty of Versailles except by Act of Congress.
4. Propose that membership in the League should be opened to all nations.
5. Provide for the continuing development of international law.

Do you approve the plan *in substance*? (Put an X inside the proper box) Yes ☐ No ☐

Name _____
Please Print

Address _____

City _____ State _____

Are you a voter? _____

THE AMERICAL PEACE AWARD
342 Madison Avenue, New York City

NOTE: Those interested in expressing fuller opinions are cordially urged to send them, on a separate sheet.
Mail To Harry Kingman, 120 Szechuen Road, Shanghai.

Carlton
LIMITED

GRAND MUSIC HALL
ENTERTAINMENT AND REVUE
A Great Variety of Original Features

EVERY NIGHT
Dont Fail To See the
"CHERRY GROVE"
and
"FIRE BIRDS"
TWO FULL ORCHESTRAS
Frequent Intervals for DANCING
No admission charge for DINERS, who will have the preference in selection of seats in THE HALL

FOR RESERVATIONS:—
Telephone West 3638 or 3639

The Best Night of the Year

A

WINTERGARDEN

3 o'clock

NIGHT ON THURSDAY

The Latest Importation of Artists

STARTING TONIGHT

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY

(IN THE FAMOUS OLD CARLTON BUILDING)

4 Ningpo Road. Telephone C. 2301

The China Press
大陸報

SHANGHAI, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1924

LACTOGEN FOR YOUR BABY
The NATURAL-MILK Food

Business and Official Notices

The American Consulate-General will be closed to public business on Washington's Birthday, February 22nd, 1924.

Edwin S. Cunningham,
American Consul-General
65629

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

No. 1044.

Acting under instructions from the Inspector General of Customs I have to notify the public that on and after February 14th, 1924, tea siftings are temporarily to pay export duty at the same rate as tea dust, i.e. Hk. Tls. 0.625 per picul and if exported abroad during the period of duty exemption granted to all kinds of tea exported they are likewise to be exempted from duty.

L. A. LYALL,
Commissioner of Customs.
CUSTOM HOUSE,
Shanghai, February 18th, 1924.
65651 F 21

Sale and Demolition of Shanghai Custom House

Tenders are invited for the Purchase and Demolition of the Existing Shanghai Custom House and other buildings in the Custom House Compound, including entrance gates and railings, boundary walls, trees in front Compound, etc.

Tenders may be submitted for the whole of the under-mentioned items or for any number of them but separate prices must be quoted for each different item, as contracts for these may be allotted to different contractors:

(1) Shells of buildings comprising red brickwork and roof tiles of good quality; and including temporary timber strutting and shoring, steel ties, hardwood doors and windows and all interior fittings with the exception of two large counters, two small hand lifts, electric fans, certain electrical fittings and the following items:
(2) Clock and fine set of chimes by Gillett and Co. of Croydon.
(3) Heating Installation.
(4) Ventilating Installation.

The building will be open for inspection at 10 a.m. on Sunday, the 24th instant, when a Representative of the Customs will conduct intending offerers who have permits over the premises.

Other particulars, form of offer and permit to view the buildings may be obtained on application to THE ENGINEER-IN-CHIEF,
Works Department,
The Maritime Customs,
North-China Daily News Building,
17, The Bund, Shanghai.
to whom tenders should be addressed.

Tenders must be delivered on or before Monday, March 10th.

L. A. LYALL,
Commissioner of Customs.
CUSTOM HOUSE,
Shanghai, February 20th, 1924.
65694 F 22

Ewo Cotton Mills, Limited
SHANGHAI

NOTICE

The Third Ordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the offices of the General Managers, No. 27, The Bund, on Tuesday, March 4th, 1924, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive the Report and Accounts of the Company to December 31st, 1923.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from February 23rd to March 4th, 1924, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.
General Managers.
Shanghai, February 12th, 1924.
65459

Dr. Suming Zing, Dentist

Artificial Teeth made by modern method. Deformed Teeth extracted without pain, and Dental Diseases guaranteed cured.
Office hours 10 a.m.—6 p.m.
Office 73 Nanking Road,
Phone C. 2127.

LOST

Delivery Order dated February 8th, 1924, on the China Merchants Lower Wharf, issued in favor Admiral Oriental Line for one case Merchandise marked W.R.M. F-333126—Ichang, ex the s.s. PRESIDENT MCKINLEY Voy. 64—has been lost.

The public are hereby warned against negotiating this delivery order as same has been cancelled.

ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE
SHANGHAI, February 19th, 1924.
65674 F 28

NOTICE

By arrangement with the Tientsin-Pukow Railway Administration, we have taken over all the advertising privileges on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway and are prepared to place advertising in station compounds, waiting rooms, cars, etc.

CARL CROW, INC.
Advertising Agents,
6B Kiangse Road, Shanghai
65656 F 26

S.S. "BREMA" from Hamburg

An examination of damaged cargo ex. the above vessel will be held at The Kaiyosha Yangtze Wharf, Pootung at 10 a.m. on Saturday, February 23rd, 1924, when Messrs. Carmichael, Lennox and Gray will be in attendance.

RICKMERS LINIE m. b. H.
HAMBURG
Zweigniederlassung Shanghai
65693 F 23

Shanghai Paper Hunt Club

ANNUAL RACE MEETING,
March 1st, 1924.

Entries for the above will close at the Grand Stand at 7 p.m. sharp on Saturday, February 23, 1924.

Entry forms are available at the Race Club, International Recreation Club and the Shanghai Horse Bazaar and Motor Co., Ltd., Bubbling Well Road.

By kind permission of the Stewards of the Shanghai Race Club, the races will be run on the Shanghai Race Course.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary,
SHANGHAI PAPER HUNT CLUB.
65665 F 23

Shanghai Medical Society

The regular monthly meeting of the Shanghai Medical Society will be held at the General Hospital on Thursday, 21st February, at 5.30 p.m. Business:—Clinical Meeting.

All visiting physicians will be cordially welcomed.

H. LOVETT CUMMING
Hon. Sec.
65643 F 21

S.S. "CROSS KEYS" from New York

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

EXAMINATION of ship's damaged cargo ex the s.s. "Cross Keys" will be held at the Robert Dollar (Pai Lien Chien) wharf on Thursday, February 21st, at 9.00 a.m., when Messrs. Eisler, Reeves and Murphy, Marine Surveyors, will be in attendance.

THE ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE, AGENTS.
65641 F 21

INVEST in YOUR GOOD APPEARANCE

and begin with your hat—it says. No one who expects to succeed nowadays can afford to look shabby.

You can keep your hats looking NEW and fresh always: when they are soiled or out of shape, send them to me to be RENOVATED by Special processes.

Telephone N. 527
LA UNION. Hat Renovators
V. D. Alobog, Mgr.
3206 Haining Road, Near Corner of Chapoo Road

NOTICE

The undersigned, in pursuance of the respective provisions of Articles IX and VI A of the Land Regulations for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai, hereby give notice that Monday and Tuesday, March 3 and 4, are fixed upon for the election of Councillors and for the election, by registered owners of land in the Settlement, of a Land Commissioner for the Municipal year 1924.

Nomination papers must be returned to the Council chamber not later than 4 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 25, 1924.

Shanghai, February 6, 1924.
G. DE ROSSI,
Consul General for Italy.
E. S. CUNNINGHAM,
Consul General for the United States of America.
H. WILDEN,
Consul General for France,
N. AALL,
Consul General for Norway.
J. L. ISLER,
Consul General for Switzerland.
J. VAN HAUTE,
Consul General for Belgium.
F. THIEL,
Consul General for Germany.
S. BARTON,
Consul General for Great Britain.
J. A. LILLIEHOOK,
Consul General for Sweden.
S. YADA
Consul General for Japan.
W. A. A. M. DANIELS,
Acting Consul General for the Netherlands.
HUGO. HERGEL,
Acting Consul General for Denmark.
HUGO REISS,
Consul for Brazil.
J. H. BOTELHO,
Acting Consul General for Portugal.
J. PALENCIA,
Consul for Spain.
A. ARCE,
Consul for Chile.
65550 F 24

OFFICES FOR RENT. Furniture and car for sale, two large offices, s.h. lift, cen. location, new building. Available April 1st. T70. Also office equipment: valuable library, motor car. Big bargain. Address Box 898, THE CHINA PRESS.
65609 F 22

BANKS which are members of the Shanghai Foreign Exchange Bankers' Association have passed the following resolution: Compradore orders must be paid on presentation by cash, or by a cheque which is payable the same day during banking hours, (that is before 3 p.m., Saturday before noon.)
65619 F 21

LOST

One delivery order No. 12859 of Chang Kah Pang wharf, issued by Wah Chang Trading Corp. for 1000 bags of "Golden Peach" brand flour has been lost on the 16th inst. The said trading Co. has been notified of that fact. The said delivery is hereby declared void.

CHINGZA HONG.
65614 F 21

DO NOT forget to choose your lovely gown at the well-known salon "Beatrice," 573 Nanking Road, opposite American Drug Co. for Washington's Ball.

Just arrived a new shipment from Paris.
65610 F 21

NOTICE

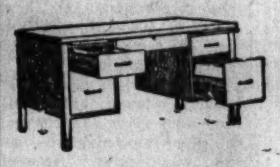
Notice is hereby given that, if Miss Urquhart of 4 Scott Road, does not claim her effects by 19th inst, they will be sold to cover debts.

ANNIE ZIMMORMAN
4 Scott Road.
65597 F 21

Dr. James Yuking's Clinic

Specialist in the Treatment of Veneral Diseases and Piles.
1st Floor, 75, NANKING ROAD
(Between Honan and Shantung Roads.)
Piles Guaranteed Cured within ten days after one Treatment without Operation or Pain (Latest European Methods of Treatment).
Office Hours: 8-12 & 1-7 Daily,
Or by Appointment.
Tel. C. 2127.
65195

SPECIAL LINE



STEEL DESKS

TAELS 135.00

Let us quote on your office furniture, we can give you steel at near the same price as wood and deliver as promptly

THE OFFICE APPLIANCE CO.
Specialists in Office Equipment
22 Nanking Road

The Insurance Office of Australia Ltd.

affiliated with the
North British and Mercantile Ins. Co., Ltd.
Total Funds Exceed £28.000.000.00
General Agents for Fire Insurance:

SLUYTERS & CO.

Phone Central: 70 General Office, 3820 Manager
3 Ezra Road
J. H. H. SWART, *Acl. Mgr.*

TO LET

Modern house in best part of French Concession. Downstairs dining and drawing room, 1st floor, three bedrooms, two modern rooms and immense attic. Small garden. Rental only T65.00 on account of old lease, which runs for another 1½ years more. Complete furniture and fixtures to be taken over for T2,800. For further particulars, apply to Box 73, THE CHINA PRESS, or 'phone West 2758, between 7-8 p.m.
65700 F 22

CHINESE GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS

KIAOCHOW TSINAN LINE

TENDER FOR OPEN HEARTH STEEL PRODUCTS.

With the approval of the Ministry of Communications, this invitation is made to the supplies to submit their tenders for the above mentioned material consisting of channels, angles and plates etc. amounting to 205½ tons, approximately.

Tenders must be signed, sealed with sealing wax, marked on the outside of the envelope "TENDER FOR STEEL PRODUCTS FOR RAILWAY CARS", and addressed to the Managing Director, Kiaochow Tsinan Railway, Tsingtao. The same must reach this Railway Office before 12 o'clock noon on March 31st, 1924, and will be opened at 3 p.m. of the same day in the Railway office, and after which tenders will be considered and referred to the Ministry of Communications for final approval.

All tenders shall be accompanied with a deposit of Dollars Seven Hundred and Fifty ($750.00) in cash or certified check from a local bank acceptable to the Ministry of Communications. This deposit will be refunded in full to the respective tenderers after the selection of the tender.

No tender will be entertained unless presented within the time stated. The Railway does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves the right to divide the order among several tenderers, when necessary.

For specifications and other informations apply to the Materials Department Kiaochow Tsinan Railway, Tsingtao.

By Order.
65644 M 4

LARGE SHOP
TO LET
May be sub-divided
About 2,000 Square feet.
Corner of two important thoroughfares in central district. Moderate rental.
Apply to Box *1190*, The China Press.

Business and Official Notices

Shanghai Race Club

6½ Percent Debentures 1923

The Debenture Transfer Register will be closed from February 22 to February 29, 1924, both dates inclusive.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary,
Shanghai Race Club.
65508 F 22

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Shanghai Market Prices Report for July-September, published by the Treasury Department's Bureau of Markets has left the press and will be distributed gratis. Business houses and other organisations may get the same from their respective local Chambers of Commerce. Additional copies may be obtained on application to 50 Avenue Edward VII, Shanghai.

T. SHENG,
Chief Director
65527 F 21

THE YOUNG LEE CO.

25 Jinkee Road

THE FLYOSAN CAMPAIGN

The numbers of the tickets sold and returned in connection with the above campaign are printed in the Shanghai Times. Those local and outport dealers who have not as yet sent in their returns are earnestly requested to do so at once. The public will do us a favor by checking their numbers and if found missing to inform us immediately. The drawing for the prizes will take place on March 20, 1924.
65621 F 24

The China
TRUNK EMPORIUM

On corner of Nanking and Thibet Roads (*not the new small shop; but the 4-roomed one, please note*) is the only shop which takes pains to make all trunks, suit cases handbags, etc., as good and cheap as humanly possible. Its

WARDROBE TRUNKS

Steamer and cabin trunks made of 3 and 5 ply wood, etc., and covered with fibre, leather and sheet-steel are guaranteed indestructible. *Inspect our goods and note our prices before buying from others. Tel. C. 612.*

No. 71

No other Medicated Throat Pastille has such a hold upon the public. At the first sign of soreness or irritation relieve your throat with a "No: 71." Keep a box in the house. Your Chemist stocks "Allenburys" No: 71.

Dr. CHING SAU WAH, DENTIST, begs to announce the removal to more commodious quarters at 101 Broadway, corner of Nanzing Road (opposite Savoy Hotel). Hours 10 to 12 noon. 2 to 7 p.m. and by appointment. Telephone North 1927.
65171 F 28

Pioneer Chiropractor in the Orient

Dr. P. S. Kawaguchi
D. C., PH. C.
Palmer Graduate
Office Hours: 9 a.m. to 12, 2 to 5.15 p.m. Except Sunday.
Tel. C. 3922, 71 Szechuen Road.
Licentiate of the States of Iowa, North Dakota, Washington and also Japan. 61339

The China Press Want Ads
OFFICE: No. 17 NANKING ROAD

SPECIAL SHOW

OF OLD JAPANESE PRINTS,
Gold lacq. boxes, Inros, Netsukes and Tsubas,
FOR ONE WEEK, FEBRUARY 18 TH TO 23RD
Brought by Messrs. Nakasawa and Hayashi of Tokyo.
Prices very moderate, Each article is guaranteed to be genuine.
Inspection cordially invited.

TOYO MURAKAMI
Palace Hotel Building.
65568 F 22

The Great Northern Savings Society, Ltd.

D. 204 SHANTUNG ROAD
Telephone Central 8150

Notice is hereby given that the above office has been organised for the purpose of issuing Savings Bonds at the value of $15 each. (Subdivided into five parts at $3 each.) The bondholder only pays one premium.

Drawings will take place every second month, beginning from February, 1924. The life of each bond is five years, after which date your bond will be redeemed. During this period your bond has 30 chances in the drawings.

For Further Particulars Please Call, Write Or Phone To The Above Address.
65547 F 22

Chinese Government Railways
TIENTSIN-PUKOW LINE

NOTIFICATION NO. 342

INVITATION OF TENDER
FOR
RAILWAY SLEEPERS & CROSSING TIMBERS

The public is hereby notified that, with the approval of the Ministry of Communications, tenders are hereby invited for the supply of C. I. F. PUKOW

37,500 pieces FIRST CLASS HARD OAK OR OTHER HARD WOOD RAILWAY SLEEPERS
1,400 pieces FIRST CLASS HARD OAK OR OTHER HARD WOOD BRIDGE TIES
340 pieces FIRST CLASS HARD OAK OR OTHER HARD WOOD CROSSING TIMBERS

By order of the Ministry of Communications those wishing to submit tenders are required to make a deposit of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000), Tientsin Local Currency, which will be refunded to the respective tenderers after the selection of the tender.

In case the successful bidder announces his inability to supply the material or fails to call at the Administration's Office for the signing of a contract within a stated period after the announcement of the selection of tender, his deposit made at the time of tendering is forfeited and his tender annulled.

Tenders must be signed, sealed with sealing wax and marked on the outside of envelope "TENDER FOR SLEEPERS 1924" and addressed to the Managing Director, Tientsin-Pukow Railway Administration, Tientsin-Hopei, the same must reach the Administration by post before 12 o'clock noon on March 7, 1924 and will be opened in public at 3 p.m. on the same day.

Tender Forms attached with full specifications can be obtained at the Head Office of the Administration, Tientsin-Hopei, upon payment of the above mentioned tender deposit.

No tenders will be entertained unless presented within the time stated and made on the Forms supplied by the Administration. The Administration does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to divide the order into lots.

(Sd.) SUN FUNGTSAO,
Managing Director.
Tientsin, February 15th, 1924.
65608 F 24

COAL! COAL!! COAL!!!

WE BEG TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC THAT WE CARRY LARGE QUANTITIES OF BEST COAL (both Anthracite and Soft) DIRECT FROM MINES, IN STOCK. OUR COAL IS MOST SUITABLE FOR STEAMSHIP AND FACTORY BOILERS. SPECIAL RATES FOR BIG QUANTITIES. FOR PARTICULARS PLEASE, APPLY TO

THE NATIONAL FORWARDING & TRADING CORP.
201-205 Boundary Road. Tel. N. 338 and 339

Carpets & Rugs

All Carpets and Rugs made in Tientsin and Shanghai, guaranteed to be unsurpassed quality. Colours and new designs are the finest Chinese Vegetable dyes used. Call at our showroom and be convinced.

Yee Chong Hung Rug Co.
P372 Nanking Road. Tel. C. 6896

THE CHINA PRESS

PUBLISHED EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR EXCEPT ON MONDAYS AND HOLIDAYS

CHINA PRESS, Incorporated, Delaware, Publishers

WEATHER

Cloudy but rather fine weather getting variable because of a low pressures area over Kiangsi where a depression may develop. Unsteady winds or breezes with local calm and fogs along the China coast. Fine and cold weather in northern China.

The Retirement Of Secretary Denby

THE resignation of Secretary Denby from the U. S. Cabinet is the latest sensation in the sensational American oil scandal which apparently has not only blown the top off the Teapot navy oil reserve but also off the political situation at Washington if we are to believe the reports now coming out of the Capital. To bring the matter up to date, the U. S. Government early in the Harding administration leased certain oil lands located in the states of Wyoming and California to private oil companies for exploitation. The holdings turned out to be very profitable. Originally the lands were under the control of the Navy Department, the head of which up to a few days ago was Hon. Edwin Denby. Secretary Denby transferred the lands to the Department of the Interior which was presided over by Hon. Albert B. Fall, also a member of the Harding Cabinet.

Secretary Fall then leased the lands to private oil companies headed by Messrs. Sinclair and Doheny both well-known operators. And then it began to be whispered about that soon after the transaction Secretary Fall had invested a considerable sum of money in ranch lands in the state of New Mexico. This aroused suspicion and the Democrats in Congress headed by Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, a most able lawyer, began to make investigations. About this time Secretary Fall resigned from the Cabinet. The investigation dragged on until about January 20 when Archie Roosevelt who had held a position with the Sinclair Oil Company testified before the Senatorial investigating committee that Mr. Sinclair had made a loan of $100,000 to Secretary Fall just about the time the oil leases had been signed. Fall in testifying before the same committee somewhat earlier had stated that he borrowed the money from Mr. Edward B. McLean a wealthy newspaper publisher in Washington and the owner of the Washington Post, a newspaper known as the administration organ.

The fat was now in the fire and it has been sizzling right merrily ever since. Sensing the consequences of the scandal in respect to the political situation with the national campaign already in progress, the Democrats aided by the insurgent republicans have been pushing the investigation to the everlasting embarassment of President Coolidge and the leaders of the Republican Party. After charging Secretary Denby with a knowledge, if not complicity in the oil deal, the Senate passed a resolution demanding his resignation from the Cabinet, and also a resolution revoking the oil leases.

President Coolidge after taking counsel with the Republican leaders decided to stand by the Secretary of the Navy evidently believing that although Denby had acted indiscreetly, he had done nothing morally or legally wrong. President Coolidge at the same time showed his moral fiber by appointing an independent legal commission to conduct an investigation of Secretary Fall's alleged wrongdoing and to recommend punishment before the proper courts. Evidently the situation has become too hot for the Republicans so according to the latest news Denby has resigned. Assistant Secretary of the Navy Department, Theodore Roosevelt, a son of the former President will be retained in his post, according to the late reports.

One interesting back-fire of the investigation from the standpoint of the Democrats developed in the testimony of one of the oil operators, Mr. Doheny, when he stated that Mr. William G. McAdoo son-in-law of former President Wilson and most promising candidate for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency, had been one of his attorneys. This evidently has somewhat damaged his chances for the nomination, although he apparently was acting in a purely legal capacity in connection with other matters.

There will be regret among Americans in China at the retirement of Secretary Denby for the reason that he is familiar with the Orient and has been of considerable assistance in connection with legislation and Administration policies of special interest to this part of the world. He is a son of Hon. Charles Denby former American Minister to China and in his youth was employed in the Chinese Maritime Customs. His brother Charles Denby was Consul General here at Shanghai for some time and previous to that Charge d'Affaires at Peking. Secretary Denby was in the Orient two years ago and created something of a sensation by delivering an address in Japan in which he referred to alleged interference with cargoes of American goods consigned to the Far East on non-American ships. He was generally credited with referring to the Japanese but denied this in a later interview—and thereby got himself into hot water with the British shipping interests.

The Education Report

THE report of the General Education Commission which was published yesterday morning by the Municipal Council leaves us with a feeling of considerable relief as a result of the first perusal. Relief, because the report does not suggest the expenditure of any considerable amount of extra money, does recommend the appointment of a Director of Education and considers that the present salaries paid our teachers are equitable. Further, the Commission does not favor aiding of national schools by grants in aid. Unlike the report of the Salaries Commission which recommended certain increases in the payment of members of the Municipal staff—outside of which report the Council appears to have gone—the report under review does not appear to suggest that the ratepayers should be burdened with any substantial sums in this respect for the future. We must confess to being pleased that this is so, for when to the already handsome salaries so many of our municipal employees are added the benefits for which people not in the service have to pay good hard cash, it has to be admitted that the ratepayers are doing very handsomely by their servants. Consequently the statement of the Commission that their conclusion is that the basis of payment of the teaching staff of equitable should be a welcome one to the ratepayers.

The Commission rightly reminds the Council and the ratepayers that there is no legal obligation on them under the Land Regulations to undertake the education of the Children of Shanghai. But when the Council commenced to take over certain schools, primarily to assist parents who could not afford to pay high sums for the education of their offspring, it appears to have undertaken an obligation which has imposed ever-increasing demands on the community. We are not prepared to criticise the action of past Councils in recognising what practically amounted to a moral duty, nor are we prepared to say that foreigners who live in such places in Shanghai should totally disregard their moral duties to the people amongst whom they live. But it is apparent from the report that with the revenue we have at our disposal—a revenue which is not capable of unlimited expansion—we should strive to get the best possible result from the material we have already accumulated, and exercise the utmost caution before extending the program we have already mapped out for ourselves.

In the section of the report devoted to the consideration of Chinese education the Commission suggests that the Council would be justified in making some experiments with regard to assisting in the education of the very poor, provided they receive assistance and co-operation from the Chinese ratepayers, while the Commission is also strongly in favor of a establishment of a school for Chinese girls. With both of these propositions, provided there is extended to the municipality assistance on the part of the Chinese themselves, we are in the heartiest accord. But we consider that sufficient has already been done in contravention of the doctrine laid down that national schools should not be assisted by grants in aid, to make it a prerequisite that substantial Chinese assistance shall be forthcoming before the Council endeavors to obtain the sanction of the ratepayers for any further adventures in the cause of education for the Chinese. In this respect Chinese are at present receiving in the municipal Chinese schools precisely that help which the commission would deny to foreign national schools. We do not, for one moment, suggest that this should not be so, but we consider it a strong reason for suggesting that further experiments in education be not undertaken without the profoundest deliberation.

These are, necessarily, but hurried impressions formed after a first reading of a most important document. Undoubtedly when there has been more time to consider at some length the various recommendations therein contained we shall have more to say on the subject. But the report as a whole gives the impression of being carefully considered, and a weighty judgment on the large mass of information the commission secured before rendering its decision. The gentlemen who have done such excellent work deserve the best thanks of the community at large not only for their labors but for the manner in which they have presented their report. We can only express the hope that the ratepayers will adopt the same as a careful enunciation of a well thought out policy.

The "Black Prince" Again

THE conditions and wishes which M. Karakhan, Soviet Envoy to the Far East has recently caused to be published by the "Far Eastern Times" constitute nothing but a graceful expression of willingness to surrender what China undoubtedly will not let his government have. Naturally when a diplomat is faced with such a proposition as is M. Karakhan, the only possible thing to do is to yield to the inevitable, the only opportunity for demonstrating ability being to do so with *un beau geste*.

What M. Karakhan hopes to get out of the deal however, is important enough to merit some consideration. Firstly Moscow desires the exchange of diplomatic and consular representatives with China, and the return of all Legation and Consular buildings, and the joint administration of the Chinese Eastern Railway involving the abolition of all obstacles to the sovereign rights of China within the region attached to the railway. If this means that one of the sources of dispute between the present Russian co-administrators and the Chinese authorities in Harbin, is to be perpetuated we fail to see where in this instance M. Karakhan has made any valuable contribution towards the settlement of one of the serious outstanding problems between Russia and China, for a railway which is to run over land not belonging to it or under its control—a ludicrous proposition put forward by the Chinese at Harbin last August—cannot be anything but a failure.

The suggestion that Mongolia should be recognised as territory belonging to China, is but an anticipation of what China would herself desire as a preliminary towards any recognition of Russia. It contrasts peculiarly, however, with the statement emanating from Moscow that M. Karakhan is preparing to issue a statement on the subject of a Mongolian Republic on the one hand and the conduct of negotiations for the conclusion of a Russo-Mongolian commercial treaty on the other. It is not a little difficult to reconcile M. Karakhan's suggestion that Mongolia should be recognised as Chinese territory with the report that he is preparing to issue a statement on Mongolia as a republic. We should be loath to suggest that there are any signs of duplicity in the policy which the Soviet Envoy has adopted towards China but we cannot escape the conviction that until M. Kyrukhan's deeds jibe more completely with his words China will be right in hesitating to have much to do with him. On the other hand it is impossible for us to believe that the Soviet's emissary will succeed in cozening China out of much she is not prepared to give, so that probably we can watch the Envoy's manoeuvers with rather more interest and amusement than apprehension.

Something To Think About

By Bruno Lessing

LONESOMENESS

If you ever feel terribly lonesome you may find relief from the tedium of life by going to your nearest public library and asking for a book to read.

While waiting for a public library clerk to bring a certain reference book, the writer happened to see, lying upon a table, an opened copy of Justin McCarthy's "History of Our Own Times," and his eye fell upon this passage:

"One man alone reached Jellalabad to tell the tale. Literally one man, Dr. Brydon, came to Jellalabad out of a moving host which had numbered in all sixteen thousand when it set out on its march."

This referred to the English Army in the Afghan war. Surely the story of how an army was cut down from sixteen thousand to one ought to be thrilling enough to dispel anyone's lonesomeness.

The shelves of public libraries abound with books of fights and adventures on land and sea, of real pirates and explorers who had experiences more lively than anything you can find in fiction. Tell the librarian your taste and the particular kind of blood-curdling stuff you want and he will find it for you. Surely that ought to satisfy the loneliest person for a few hours.

If your taste happens to run in the line of love stories, ask for "Manon Lescaut," by the Abbe Prevost, or the 'Lady With the Camelias," by Dumas, or Murger's "Bohemians," or Lamartine's "Raphael." Plenty of thrills—enough, anyway, to while away a lonely evening. And after you have read them, ask the librarian to get busy and suggest others.

People who are lonely because they have no love affair of their own—or because their own is not working out well—always find relief from ennui in reading about the love affairs of others.

Then, if you are interested in the psychology of that organ which we call the "soul," there are many books which tell of men's struggles with themselves. These are mostly autobiographies and memoirs—from those of Cellini to Herbert Spencer's. There is much to be learned from such books.

Get any of these books and concentrate your mind upon them. You will find your loneliness disappearing. You will have company. Splendid company, if you select it properly.

And the librarian is always there, ready to provide more. So, why be lonely?

Our Literary Column

EXCERPTS FROM GREAT WRITERS

By Mathy

THE EDUCATIONAL QUALITY OF CRITICISM

The prime characteristic of the work of the great critics is interpretation, and its deepest influence is educational. It is true that all art is educational, and that literature, as Matthew Arnold long ago said in one of his suggestive school reports contains the best possible material for education; but criticism is peculiarly and definitely educational, because it brings into clear light the significance of literature as a whole.

The immediate and vital relationship between art and life, which has given literature an entirely new meaning to modern men, was largely discerned and disclosed by the great modern critics. To them we owe not only clear ideas of the specific work and personal quality of each writer, but clear ideas of his relation to his time and to his race,—of his significance in the development of literature and in the history of the human soul.

There is a distinct and definite educational value in the comprehension of Montaigne's relation to his age, of the influences which found their expression in Voltaire and Rousseau, and of the facts of race inheritance and social condition which made so deep an impress on the artistic temperament of Tourguenieff. There is indeed no educational material of such in books, because nowhere else has the life of men made a record at once, so frank, so appealing. It was a profound thought of Froebel's that the true teacher of each individual is the race, and that what the race has thought, felt, and accomplished is the richest material for educational uses. And literature, being the fullest and frankest revelation of what is in men and of what they have experienced, is the most vital and persuasive teacher of humanity.

By Dr. Henry Van Dyke

All The Days Of Your Lives—Hidden Sins

I.

"I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever."—Ps. 23:6.

It is not hard to be an optimist when you are young.

But how will it be when you grow old?

Will not the joy vanish, and the cup be empty, and the sense of being at home in the world which gladdens youth, give place to that feeling of estrangement which saddens age?

Not if you know that you are dwelling in the house of the Lord, for then His goodness and mercy will follow you all the days of your life to remind you where you are.

"For He hath not left Himself without a witness in that he did good, and gave you from heaven rains and fruitful seasons, filling your hearts with joy and gladness."

There is no reason why we should ever lose this deep and joyful sense of domesticity in God's world.

The discoveries of science need not take it from us, but only deepen its wonder and reverence.

I remember one of the wisest of modern scientific men, the physical geographer, Arnold Guyot whom it was my privilege to know well. He kept the faith of a little child, and whether he was botanizing in his garden or geologizing on the top of some high mountain he rejoiced like one who was at home in the house of his Father.

II.

"While I kept silence my bones waxed old through my roaring all the day long."—Ps. 32:3.

A sin concealed is like a hidden fire.

It eats into the very life and consumes it with the weariness of old age.

It "weighs upon the heart."

It dries up the spring of innocent joy and peace, so that existence becomes like a thirsty, tedious fever.

There is no relief in "roaring."

All the complaints and murmurings, the outcries of disgust with life and the growlings of a fallen discontented spirit are in vain.

Swear that "the times are out of joint"; swear at the world for a cheat; or swear at yourself for a fool—all this will bring no relief, no comfort.

The disease (and that means the want of ease) is too deep for any remedy that you can devise.

There is but one Physician who can heal it.

You must bring it to Him, frankly, freely, with no reserve and learn that an honest confession is good for the soul, and that God's mercy is great enough to blot out every sin except that which is hidden.

No half-repentance can possibly succeed and no full repentance can possibly fail.

The China Press Want Ads OFFICE: No. 17 NANKING ROAD

HIRE CARS PHONE 1 FOUR TRUNK LINES

ST. GEORGE'S

Watch the Future

You'll be surprised.

A big full-hand hold all the time

There never was a holder on any shaving stick like the holder on

Williams' Doublecap SHAVING STICK

The box is absolutely non-corrosive and can be re-loaded with fresh sticks indefinitely.

There never was a lather like Williams'. Especially if your beard is tough, or your skin tender, you will find Williams' perfectly suited to your needs.

You always get the Doublecap Stick fresh, firm and sweet. It is doubly wrapped—first in fibre, then in silk tissue.

The soap in Williams' Doublecap and Williams' Holder Top Sticks is precisely the same in quality.

Made by the Makers of the famous Williams' Talc Powders,—perfectly borated, medicinal and toilet.

Representatives:

Muller & Phipps (China) Ltd.
2 Canton Road
Shanghai

Tile Stocks in Shanghai

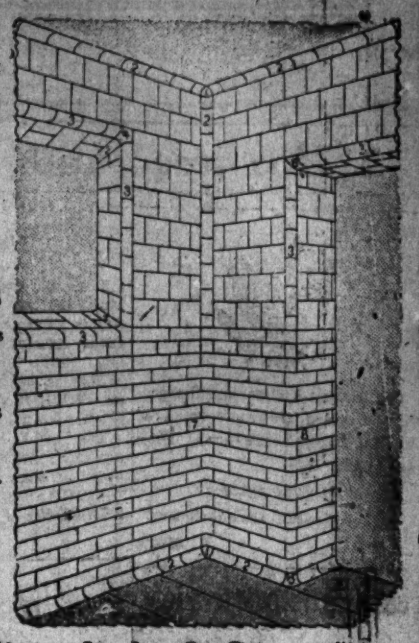
Messrs. Graven, Dunnill & Co.'s

Plain, Encaustic and Vitreous PAVEMENTS in numerous designs

PLAIN ENAMELS in Sixty Colours

Fender Kerbs Skirtings. Mouldings, etc.

White Glazed and in Colours



Sole Agents William Jacks & Co.

BRITISH EMPIRE EXHIBITION

For Pamphlets & Hotel Reservations apply to

THOS. COOK & SON

Chief Official Passenger Agents

THE KAILAN MINING ADMINISTRATION

KAIPING HOUSEHOLD COAL

Delivered within the sett'ements

$13.00 per ton (Cash with order)

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays

9 a.m. to 12 noon Saturdays

Orders received at

THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK BUILDING

North Corner, first floor.

Telephone Central 317 No. 12 The Bund

A GREAT INCREASE

ALREADY REALISED IN THE HEATING APPARATUS CONNECTED DURING THE CURRENT YEAR IS VERY ELOQUENT TESTIMONY, AND IT IS CERTAIN THAT THIS INCREASE IS DUE TO THE OUTSTANDING MERITS OF THIS MOST EFFICIENT AND PLEASANT MEANS OF HEATING HOMES AND OFFICES ....

WHY DELAY LONGER IN PARTICIPATING IN THE BENEFITS CONFERRED BY MODERN ENGINEERING PROGRESS?

ADVICE AND INFORMATION CONCERNING THE HIRE OR PURCHASE OF RADIATORS WILL READILY BE GIVEN UPON APPLICATION TO:

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTRICITY DEPT.

Showroom: 26 Nanking Road. Offices: 17 Foochow Road.

Telephone: Central 283 (All Sections).

GAS RINGS — HOTPLATES GRILLERS

No house is complete without them in either kitchen, pantry or nursery. All are fixed on loan for a moderate charge.

SHANGHAI GAS CO., LTD.

Showrooms..... ....30 Kiangse Road

Offices..... ..... 5 Thibet Road

Bringing Up Father

(Registered U. S. Patent Office).

By George McManus

WITHOUT A DOUBT YOU ARE THE BIGGEST LOAFER IN TOWN AND YOU HAVEN'T A BIT OF PRIDE DO YOU ENJOY SEEIN' ME UNHAPPY?
AND D'YE THINK I WAS BORN TO BE YOUR SLAVE AND WORK MY HANDS OFF WAITING ON YOU ALL DAY LONG?
Z!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY NOT ANSWERING ME WHEN I ASK YOU A QUESTION? ANSWER ME AT ONCE DO YOU THINK SO? YES OR NO?
YES!
I BET I SHOULD HAVE SAID NO!
11-23

ASIA REALTY COMPANY ASIA REALTY CO ASIA REALTY COMPANY

ARCO

FOR SALE

2½ MOW

On Brenan Road

Just Beyond Railway Crossing

Suitable for Residence Development

Foreign Title Deed

Immediately Available

ASIA REALTY COMPANY

SHANGHAI.

TEL. C. 65, 15 NANKING ROAD

ASIA REALTY COMPANY ASIA REALTY CO ASIA REALTY COMPANY

KLIM

BRAND

POWDERED MILK

Milk from selected cows to you.

Klim is the finest grade of pure fresh whole milk (full cream) pasteurized and reduced to powder. Nothing taken away but the water of liquid milk. Add cold water and Klim is pure, fresh milk again.

KLIM STAYS FRESH FOR MONTHS.

Getz Bros. & Co. of the Orient, Ltd.
Distributors.

Synoleo

Colourwash

The Finest Interior Wall Decoration
STOCKED IN 60 ART SHADES

SANITARY.
ARTISTIC.
DURABLE.

Tint Cards and Full particulars from

R. H. FELGATE & CO. 9 Ezra Road Central 6674

HOONG, NION & CO. 384 Kiukiang Road Central 2299

Or from the Manufacturers

Wilkinson, Heywood & Clark
LIMITED
Arnhold Bldg., 6 Kiukiang Road.
Central 8069 and 8070

These Scientists!

By Dr. Charles Fleischer

The Age of Science is one other name that would fit the thrilling time in which we are living.

Countless tons of ink have been spilled by writers on both sides of the fence to tell the story of a supposed conflict between religion and science.

There is no such thing. Both science and religion are after the same thing—truth. And truths don't conflict. Truth is one.

Be sure that science has never sought any quarrels with religion. Whatever fighting has been done was started by overzealous religionists who were needlessly fearful.

Being the Source of Truth, God has nothing to worry about in the progress of science. Further discovery of truth simply reveals more of Him.

The conflict of science is with ignorance and disease. That scientific knowledge can be destructively as well as constructively used the World War has again and abundantly proved.

Nevertheless, the blazing progress of science continues more impressive than ever.

We have all followed eagerly the devoted work and the brilliant success of the young Canadian physicians, Drs. Banting and McLeod, who have been jointly awarded the Nobel Prize in medicine.

This as recognition of their discovery of insulin as a specific for the treatment—not the cure—of diabetes, one of the few of the thousand natural shocks that flesh is heir to that man has not yet conquered.

The "but" about insulin is that this liquid must be injected into the diabetic patient three times a day by a physician expert in this treatment.

Because a certain chemical balance must be maintained in the diabetic's body.

The average reader would probably not be interested in the detailed story of diabetes and its treatment. But he is sure to be interested in still another chapter of the successful conflict between medical science and this dread disease.

Also he will be proud to learn that while Canada has her Drs. Banting and McLeod, America has her Dr. Max Kahn, the discoverer of intarvin.

Dr. Kahn is professor of metabolism at Columbia University and a leading member of the staff of the Beth Israel Hospital, New York City.

With the synthetic fat, intarvin, that Dr. Kahn invented lately, the deadly acidosis that develops in diabetic patients can be successfully combated.

Intarvin is a tasteless fat that can be eaten, like butter, with the patient's meals.

As this new "life-saver" becomes known, it will be increasingly used and will come within the means of the poorest sufferer from diabetes.

Dr. Elliott P. Joslin, Professor of Medicine at Harvard University and probably America's leading authority on diabetes, has just published a book on the subject.

Therein he endorses intarvin and Dr. Max Kahn's theory and treatment.

And so the fight between science and disease goes on, with victory assured for science—and health.

When man is again a healthy animal, wings will being to play at his shoulders.

Across The Breakfast Table

W. L. George And His Wife

Mrs. George (dignified): Yes, dear, I know that I've overdrawn at the bank, but may I ask how it is that you know that? It's no use telling me that I left my bank book open on my dressing table; I know I did, but that's no reason why you should read it. Besides, I wonder what your bank book looks like? Have you never overdrawn? Will you never overdraw? When I ask you to pay my overdraft then you can begin to complain. At present, eat your breakfast.

Mr. George: You dont, I shall not eat my breakfast.

Mrs. George: Don't darling, then.

Mr. George: Soon I shall not be able to afford a breakfast owing to your messing and mudding and inaccuracy. Why are you overdrawn? I don't know, perhaps because you've been extravagnt, but quite as likely because you can't add up. Won't add up. Don't add up. Now you've overdrawn at the bank and at my bank, where I'm well known, and what's the teller going to think of me? He'll either think that I've got a fool for a wife or that I'm a tightwad, and don't give her enough money. I don't so much mind getting the reputation of being a spendthrift or a muddler; what I'm thinking of is of my financial reputation, mine which matters a great deal more than yours.

Mrs. George: I thought as much. I knew you were thinking of yourself for of course my financial reputation means nothing at all to you. (Acid): By the way, dear, if you'd read my bank book a little more carefully, since you took the opportunity when you found it open, you'd see that it was made up to the second of the month. Today is the fourth and I'm still waiting for your check, which was due to me on the first. (Mr. George collapses.)

A Night Of Stars

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS.

Awaking suddenly on the night of August 6, and looking over the foot of my bed out of a lofty open window at Chateau Berlhec, Finistere, I uttered an exclamation of surprise, and going to the window sat down upon the ledge, in the balmy midnight air, and gazed, in a kind of entrancement, at the glowing heavens.

It was not any kind of a glow originating on the earth—nothing so insignificant as that—and it was not a glow of auroral lights in the sky. That, too, would have been trivial in comparison with what I beheld. It was the Milky Way and the constellations amidst which it winds like a phosphorescent river, sparkling, gleaming and glistening, though an atmosphere so clear and transparent that it seemed as if nothing whatever intervened between the eye and the heavens. The stars appeared to have come nearer the earth, while a curtain had dropped from before them.

One cannot describe these moments. They can come only in connection with views of the starry heavens when uncovered in their utmost splendor. The air and its contents usually form an obstacle to our seeing the universe as it is. When man fills the night with his electric lights he increases the obscuration, and conceals the heavens from his eyes until he forgets their existence.

As the night-banishing cities and their vast suburbs continue to spread, the time may come when the few men and women who do remember that there is a starry universe, or who have heard of it, will be compelled, in order to see it for themselves, to make pilgrimages to remote places, where the face of the earth still lies in shadow after the sun has withdrawn.

The part of the firmament that I saw in such uncommon splendor on the night of August 6 is still visible in the evenings of September. The Milky Way, descending from the great Northern Cross, east of the zenith, widens its shining clouds as it approaches the rim of the earth west of south, and falls in mysterious splendor through Sagittarius, to disappear behind the horizon. It is in that direction that the latest observations indicate that the universe extends farthest and is richest in great suns. To gaze at those billowy masses of cloudy light, and remember that they consist of hundreds of millions of suns, is an experience that never loses its power over the mind. What are we that dimly see this stupendous sight, and faintly grasp at its meaning? Is it possible that after this grandly inspiring glimpse we shall, like Moses, be permitted to see no more, hear no more, know no more, but be put out of existence at the end of our brief day of stumbling toward and hoping for higher things? But, even if it be so, the glimpse is worth while. It procures us an ineffable delight while it lasts. It is at least a breath of infinity and eternity that passes through us and imparts a momentary thrill, the greatest experience of life, though we cannot detain it.

The Milky Way in that part of its course just described is bordered, as well as inset, with some of the most exquisite starry jewels that the heavens contain. A large opera-glass, or a prism-binocular, will be an add to the appreciation of these splendors of the sky. The disadvantage of the prism-binocular is that it consumes an undue proportion of the light, so that its field of view is much darker than that of the opera glass.

On the other hand it possesses an advantage both in the greater width of its field and the increased sharpness of its star images. For viewing the fainter parts of the Milky Way the large opera-glass, or field-glass is to be preferred but, the prism-binocular is superior for observing bright clusters with relatively brilliant components. Such a glass gives an exquisite view, for instance, of nearly the whole of the little constellation Delphinus, the Dolphin, sematimes called "Jolis Coffin" which shines a few degrees northeastward from the brilliant star Altair of the constellation Eagle, which glows beside the Milky Way below the Northern Cross.

Altair itself, with its surroundings is surprisingly beautiful with a glass, and another object of surpassing beauty is Vega, with the little stars near it west of the Cross. Golden Arcturus is away over in the west—northwest, and Antares, as red as fire, shines low in the southwest.

:-: The Spectator :-:

Crowds

The psychology of the crowd is still but little understood. What is there about a mass of human beings that affects one so? The feeling is distinct enough; we have all had it. The explanations are not so satisfactory.

Xerxes, it is said, wept when he beheld his so great army, because he reflected that they were all so soon to die. Jesus, the Evangelist tells us, had compassion upon the multitudes, because they were as sheep having no shepherd. In both instances, we grasp the fact, but are inclined to doubt the explanation. We are often conscious of impressions the significance of which we do not comprehend.

There is a peculiar reinforcement of the personality that we get from a crowd. Soldiers will march longer without getting tired and fight better without getting scared, when they are in an army, than any one of them would singly. A mob will commit cruelties no single member of which would think of committing. Our tastes in art, literature, in dress, and even in eating and drinking, are unconsciously borrowed from the mob. Revivals of religion are peculiar adaptations of the crowd-motive.

And have you ever had the crowd-fear? I was never in a panic but once. It was at a theater, and I remember what a sickening wave of fear passed over me before I had the least idea what it was all about. One man cannot possibly get so frightened, or be so brave, or so cruel, or so religious, as a hundred men. Who will explain this strange addition of souls, or, rather, this squaring and curbing emotion, by increasing the number of souls?

The fact seems to be that the individual is not only an originator of emotions and ideas, but he is the channel for them. A good many of the feelings that we have do not seem to spring from ourselves at all, but they flow through us, coming from others.

The same is true of our ideas. I doubt if there are many original ideas in the whole world. The best we can do is to color with our own personality the ideas we receive from others.

Plagiarism is often so unconscious that we cannot determine whether it is real or apparent. I know that I have had thoughts that seemed to me to be very striking and new. And then I would pick up Marcus Aurelius or Cicero or Montaigne, and find that the same thing had been said hundreds of years before.

Doubtless a great deal depends upon our heredity. Dr. Holmes said a man's education should begin with his grandmother. But much also depends upon our environment. And most of what we think and feel we have breathed in from the souls about us.

C 2240

UNIVERSAL HIRE SERVICE

Serves U Right—Day & Night

$1 First 20 Min. $3 per Hr.

The China Press want ads

OFFICE: No. 17 NANKING ROAD

Dr. John Goddard
Optician

Refracting and Manufacturing

Toric Lenses

Invisible Bifocals

Sun Glasses in Various Shades

W. T. Findlay M. D.
36, Nanking Road.

GET READY FOR

WHICHEDOODLE

∴ NIGHT ∴

FRIDAY, FEB. 29

SOMETHING NEW

DEL MONTE

THE LIVEST SPOT IN SHANGHAI

CASTORIA

for Infants and Children.

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent, or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent, or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium, or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy and retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse. It causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.

The signature of Chas. H. Fletcher guarantees genuine Castoria.

Physicians Recommend Castoria.

"I have used your Castoria in cases of colic in children and have found it the best medicine of its kind on the market."
J. E. SIMPSON, M. D., Chicago, Ill.

"A medicine so valuable and beneficial for children as your Castoria is deserves the highest praise. I find it in use everywhere."
J. S. ALEXANDER, M. D., Omaha, Neb.

"Have used your Castoria on various occasions in suitable cases and have found it a palatable and efficient laxative, especially in the various diseases of childhood."
CHAS. EDWARD GARDINER, M. D., Brooklyn, N. Y.

"Castoria is good for children and I frequently prescribe it, and always obtain the desired result."
F. GERALD BLATTNER, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.

"I have prescribed Castoria to families for several years. It is all right. Mothers like it, for children will take it without any trouble."
C. A. WILSON, M. D., St. Louis, Mo.

"Your Castoria is a splendid remedy for children, known the world over. I use it in my practice and have no hesitancy in recommending it for the complaints of infants and children."
J. A. BOARMAN, M. D., Kansas City, Mo.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

In Use For Over 30 Years.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

LACES—CROSS-STITCH
MAH-JONG
CHINESE PARASOLS
HAND-MADE NOVELTIES

Wholesale Only

GRAY TRADING COMPANY
18 Nanking Road (Corner of Ezra Road)

EXCEL ECGS

EXCEL ECGSELL ECGSELL

GUARANTEED FRESH

Eggs differ in taste according to their freshness—that is the reason for the popularity of Eggsells.

DELIVERED TO YOUR HOME TELEPHONED-TAKUEN C. 8064

ECGSELL

GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

Vessels Loading

For River Ports

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUTWO, 2,664 Tons, Captain Christie, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Old Ningpo Wharf on Thursday, February 21, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passage Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGAN, Capt. Ross, will leave on Thursday, February 21, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Holmwood, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, February 22, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. PINGWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Pellew, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Saturday, February 23, at about midnight. For Freight apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGHSIN, Capt. Kornfeldt will leave on Sunday, Feb. 24, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,868 Tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, February 25, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: C. 241. Extension to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGSHUN, Capt. McIlwain, will leave on Monday, February 25, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUNGWO, 4,635 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, February 26, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGYU, Capt. Johannsen, will leave on Tuesday, Feb. 26, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, February 28, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Jardine MATHESON & Co., Ltd. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co's S.S. TUCKWO, 3,770 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, February 29, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Te. C. 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye will leave on Thursday, Feb. 21, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG & Canton—The Str. KWANGLEE, Capt Crawford, will leave on Friday, Feb. 22, at midnight. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

WENCHOW.—The Str. HSIN-FUNG, Capt. Davies, will leave on Sunday morning, Feb. 24. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M. S.N. Co.

For Japan Ports

KOBE & YOKOHAMA.—The Hugo Stinnes-Linien steamer ALBERT VOGLER will be despatched for above ports on or patched from the China Merchants Central Wharf for above ports on or about the 24th February. For further particulars as to passage apply to the HUGO STINNES-LINIEN, Ostasien-Fahrt, 58, Kiangse Road. Phone C. 6556.

For Foreign Ports

LONDON, HAMBURG, BREMEN, ANTWERP & ROTTERDAM via PORTS.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo Steamer ALTAI HARU, 15,000 tons, Captain H. Chiba, will be despatched from O.S.K. Buoy on February 26, at ——. For Freight apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road, Phone C. 4234.

ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM & HAMBURG via MANILA, STRAITS, COLOMBO, PORTS SAID.—The Hugo Stinnes Linien steamer SCHEER, Captain Brahms, 13,000 tons, will be despatched for above ports on/or about the 5th of March. For further particulars as to freight apply to the HUGO STINNES-LINIEN, Ostasien-Fahrt, 58 Kiangse Road. Phone C. 6556.

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Feb. 22 — Tacoma, etc.	Arizona Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Feb. 22 — Portland, Ore.	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
Feb. 24 — Seattle	Shidzuoka Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 25 — Portland, Ore.	W. Jester	Am. Lumber Co.
Feb. 25 — Vancouver	†E. of Australia	Br. C.P.R.
Feb. 25 — Seattle	†P. Jefferson	AM. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 29 — New York via Suez	P. Hays	Am. Dollar Co.
Mar. 1 — San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S Co.
Mar. 3 — Portland, Ore.	W. Jessup	Am. Lumber Co.
Mar 8 — Seattle	†P. Grant	AM. Adl. O. Line
Mar. 8 — Portland, Ore.	W. Hixton	Am. Lumber Co.
Mar. 10 — New York vit Suez	Virginia Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Mar. 10 — Portland, Ore.	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Mar. 11 — Vancouver, etc.	C. Seigneur	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 13 — Seattle	Yokohama Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Mar. 15 — Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br C.P.R.
Mar. 16 — Portland	W. Kader	Am. Lumber Co.
Mar. 17 — New York via Suez	Kt. Templar	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 18 — New York	Alaska Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Mar. 19 — New York via Suez	Esther Dollar	Am. Dollar Co.
Mar. 20 — Seattle	†P. Madison	Ad. Adl. O. Line
Mar. 23 — New York	Lisbon Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Mar. 28 — New York via Suez	†P. Adams.	Am. Dollar Co.
Mar. 29 — San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 29 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Apr. 1 — Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Apr. 2 — Tacoma	Africa Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Apr. 5 — Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Apr. 11 — San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Apr. 11 — New York via Suez	†P. Garfield	Am. Dollar Co.
Apr. 12 — San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 13 — Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Apr. 23 — San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Apr. 25 — New York via Suez	†P. Polk	Am. Dollar Co.
Apr. 25 — Vancouver, etc.	C. Winner	Br. B. & S.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Feb. 22 — Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Feb. 23 9.00 *Kobe, Yokohama	Chili	Fr. M. M. Cie
Feb. 23 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Feb. 23 — Nagasaki	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Feb. 24 — Kobe, Yokohama	Albert Volger	Ger. H S. Line
Feb. 26 — Nagasaki	Shanghai M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 27 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Mar. 1 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Feb. 24 — Marseilles, etc	Mito Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Feb. 24 — Bombay	Muroran Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 25 — Liverpool	Antilochus	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 25 Hamburg etc.	C. of Pekin	Br. J.M. & Co.
Feb. 26 — Antwerp, etc	Altai Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Feb. 28 — Rotterdam, etc.	Saparoea	Dut. H. C. T. Co
Feb. 29 7.00 *Marseilles	†Angers	Fr. M.M. Cie
Feb. 29 — Singapore	West Ivan	Br. H. & S.
Feb. 29 — Hamburg, etc.	Glenbeg	Br. G.L.E.A.
Mar. 1 — Hamburg, etc.	Hakozaki Maru	Jap N. Y. K.
Mar. 4 — London	†Karmala	Br. M.M. & Co.
Mar. 5 — Hamburg, etc.	†Rhexenor	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 5 — Hamburg, etc.	Scheer	Ger. H S. Line
Mar. 6 — Marseilles	†Chili	Fr. M. M. Cie
Mar. 8 — London, etc.	Hakusan Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Mar. 9 — Marseilles	Delaroa Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Mar. 12 — London	Teiresias	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 15 — Liverpool, etc.	†Bellerophon	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 18 — London	†Naldera	Br. M. M. & Co.
Mar. 19 — Hamburg, etc.	Elpenor	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 20 — Hamburg, etc.	Aachen	Ger. Mel. Co.
Mar. 20 — Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr. M.M. Cie
Mar. 22 — London	Kitano Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Mar. 23 — Hamburg, etc.	Aachen	Ger. Mel. & Co.
Mar. 24 — Hamburg, etc.	Albert Voegler	Ger. H. S. Line
Mar. 29 — Hamburg, etc.	Pembrokeshire	Br. G. L. E. A.
Apr. 1 — Hamburg, etc.	Derflinger	Ger. Mel. & Co.
Apr. 1 — London	†Khyber	Br. M.M. & Co.
Apr. 3 — Marseilles	†Amazone	Fr. M. M. Cie
Apr. 5 — Rotterdam, etc.	Mapia	Dut. H. C. T. Co.
Apr. 11 — Hamburg, etc.	Nienburg	Ger. Mel. & Co.
Apr. 15 — Hamburg, etc.	Carl Legien	Ger. H. S. Line
Apr. 15 — London	†China	Br. M. M. & Co.
Apr. 16 — London	†Sarpedon	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 17 — Marseilles	†Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie
Apr. 29 — London, etc.	†Kalyan	Br. M. M. & Co.
Apr. 29 — Hamburg, etc.	Coblenz	Ger. Mel. & Co.
May 1 — Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie.
May 13 — London	†Plassy	Br. M. M. & Co.
May 20 — London	†Kashmir	Br. M.M. & Co.
May 20 — Hamburg, etc.	A. von Baeyer	Ger. H S. Line
May 27 — London	†Khiva	Br. M. M. Co.
June 10 — London	†Kashgar	Br. M. M. & Co.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Feb. 27 Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M. M. & Co.
Mar. 19 — Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Apr. 2 — Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
Apr. 30 — Melbourn, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Feb. 21 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Kiangtei	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 21 5.00 Ningpo	Tungshin	Chi. N. S. S. N.
Feb. 22 11.00 *H'kong, Manila	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 22 — Hongkong, Manila	Yokohama Mar	Jap. N. Y. K.
Feb. 22 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Ningpoo	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
Feb. 22 4.45 Ningpo	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 22 noon A. H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 22 — Hongkong, Manila	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
Feb. 22 — Hongkong, Canton	Kwangtee	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 23 1.00 S. H'kong, C'ton	Shantung	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 23 1.00 H'kong, C'ton	Changchow	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 23 — Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br. C. P. S.
Feb. 24 1.00 Swatow	Ningpo	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 24 1.00 A. H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 24 — Wenchow	Hsinfung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 29 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Hayes	Am. Dollar Co.
Mar. 4 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Mar. 10 — Hongkong, Manila	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Mar. 16 — Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Mar. 20 — Hongkong	Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Mar. 21 — Hongkong, Manila	West Sequana	Am. S. & B.
Mar. 21 — Hongkong, Manila	E. of Russia	Br. C. P. R.
Mar. 25 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Pincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 28 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Apr. 12 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Feb. 21 D.L.W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tungshing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 21 — Tientsin, Dairen	Seikyo Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Feb. 22 10.00 *W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 22 1.00 Tsingtao	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 23 noon Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Feb. 24 10.00 *W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 27 3.00 Dairen	Kwangse	Br. B. & S.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Feb. 21 11.00 *Hankow	Hupeh	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 21 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 21 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 21 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 22 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co
Feb. 22 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 23 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Pingwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 23 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 24 M.N. Hankow etc.	Kianghsin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 25 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangshun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 25 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 25 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 26 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 26 2.00 Pukow	Kanchow	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 26 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 26 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 27 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 27 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangtoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 28 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br J. M. & Co.
Feb. 28 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 28 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.

M. N.—MIDNIGHT.
D. L.—DAYLIGHT.
†CARRYING MAIL
ONINHON.

Vessels Due

Albert Vogler, *Hamburg*	Feb. 21
Alipore, *Kobe*	Feb. 21
Changaka, *Hankow*	Feb. 23
Chekiang, *Hongkong*	Feb. 23
Chusan, *Tientsin*	Feb. 28
Chengtu, *Tientsin*	Feb. 24
Chohei Maru, *Dairen*	Feb. 25
Chihli, *Hongkong*	Feb. 24
City of York, *London*	Feb. 26
E. Castle, *New York*	Feb. 23
Englestan, *Portland*	Feb. 26
E. of Australia, *Hongkong*	Feb. 25
E. of Asia, *Vancouver*	Feb. 23
Ferm, *Europe*	Feb. 25
Genoa Maru, *Hongkong*	Feb. 24
Glenbeg, *Yokohama*	Feb. 25
Haean, *Foochow*	Feb. 22
Hakozaki Maru, *Yokohama*	Feb. 28
Hakusi Maru, *Yokohama*	Feb. 23
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Feb. 21
Hsinfung, *Wenchow*	Feb. 21
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Feb. 22
Hsinming, *Tientsin*	Feb. 23
Ichang, *Hongkong*	Feb. 27
Karmala, *Yokohama*	Feb. 28
Kabinga, *New York*	Feb. 22
Kanchow, *Hongkong*	Feb. 23
Khyber, *London*	Feb. 26
Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	Feb. 25
Kianghsin, *Hankow*	Feb. 21
Kiangshun, *Hankow*	Feb. 23
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	Feb. 24
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	Feb. 24
Kungwo, *Hankow*	Feb. 24
Kwangse, *Hongkong*	Feb. 25
Loksang, *Pukow*	Feb. 22
Loongwo, *Hankow*	Feb. 21
Luchow, *Hongkong*	Feb. 21
Luenyi, *Hankow*	Feb. 25
Mapia, *Rotterdam*	Feb. 21
Meriones, *Liverpool*	Feb. 24
Muroran Maru, *Kobe*	Feb. 23
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki*	Feb. 21
Niigata Maru, *Yokohama*	Feb. 23
Nikko Maru, *Osaka*	Feb. 24
Ningpo, *Hongkong*	Feb. 21
Pingwo, *Hankow*	Feb. 21
Poyang, *Hankow*	Feb. 22
Pres. Hayes, *S. Francisco*	Feb. 26
Pres. Jefferson, *Hongkong*	Feb. 24
Saparoea, *Vladivostok*	Feb. 28
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	Feb. 22
Shanghai M. *Nagasaki*	Feb. 25
Shengking, *Ningpo*	Feb. 22
Shidzuoka Maru, *Hongkong*	Feb. 23
Soochow, *Hongkong*	Feb. 23
Sungshan Maru, *Hongkong*	Feb. 26
Sunning, *Hongkong*	Feb. 25
Shinon, *Chinwangtao*	Feb. 22
S. W. Miller, *Yokohama*	Feb. 22
Sinklang, *Hongkong*	Feb. 28
Szechuen, *Tsingtao*	Feb. 26
Suiwo, *Hankow*	Feb. 27
Tungwah, *Tientsin*	Feb. 25
Taksang, *Hongkong*	Feb. 22
Tamba Maru, *Bombay*	Feb. 21
Tsukuba Maru, *Yokohama*	Feb. 24
Tsushima Maru, *Yokohama*	Feb. 21
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Feb. 28
West Jester, *Portland*	Feb. 22
W. Montana, *Seattle*	Feb. 26
Woosung, *Hankow*	Feb. 21
Wosang, *Swatow*	Feb. 26
Wuchang, *Hankow*	Feb. 24
Waishing, *Hongkong*	Feb. 27
Whangpu, *Hankow*	Feb. 27
Yamashiro Maru, *Osaka*	Feb. 27
Yingchow, *Hongkong*	Feb. 22
Yungshin, *Ningpo*	Feb. 21
Yusang, *Hongkong*	Feb. 26

ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE

TRANS-PACIFIC
Passenger and Freight Service
Fast — Frequent — Regular
SEATTLE — VICTORIA
via Kobe and Yokohama

	Leave Shanghai	Arrive Seattle.
"PRESIDENT JEFFERSON"	Feb. 25	Mar. 12
"PRESIDENT GRANT"	Mar. 8	Mar. 22
"PRESIDENT MADISON"	Mar. 20	Apr. 5
"PRESIDENT McKINLEY"	Apr. 1	Apr. 17
"PRESIDENT JACKSON"	Apr. 13	Apr. 29

Thru Connections to Europe
Across United States or Canada
Your Choice Atlantic Lines

TO HONGKONG AND MANILA

"PRESIDENT GRANT"	Feb. 22
"PRESIDENT MADISON"	Mar. 4
"PRESIDENT McKINLEY"	Mar. 16
"PRESIDENA JACKSON"	Mar. 28
"PRESIDENT JEFFERSON"	April 9

ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE
Managing Agents, FREIGHT DEPT. ROBERT DOLLAR BUILDING 3 Canton Road, | U. S. Shipping Board PASSENGER DEPT. Corner of Nanking and Kiangse Road.
Telephone Central 6371-2-3-4-5

CANADIAN PACIFIC

TRAVEL-DE-LUXE EMPRESS EXPRESS
FASTEST, LARGEST & MOST LUXURIOUS
STEAMERS ON THE
PACIFIC
SPECIAL FARES TO EUROPE £120-£112-£110-£82-£80
CANADIAN PACIFIC THROUGHOUT

SAILINGS
(SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

	Leave Shanghai	Arrive Vancouver
Empress of Australia	Feb. 25	Mar. 12
Empress of Asia	Mar. 15	Mar. 31
Empress of Russia	Apl. 5	Apl. 21
Empress of Australia	Apl. 21	May 7

TO HONGKONG DIRECT

EMPRESS OF ASIA
will sail from CHINA MERCHANTS LOWER WHARF
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24

Offices All Departments — Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Buildin (Entrance next the Customs House) 12 THE BUND: Tel. C. 5531.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN
FAR EASTERN
PASSENGER and FREIGHT

SERVICE BETWEEN JAPAN, CHINA, HONGKONG, MANILA, SINGAPORE, BELAWAN, COLOMBO AND GENOA AND NORTH CONTINENTAL PORTS.

OUTWARD BOUND

S.S. "AACHEN"	February 16
**S.S. "DERFFLINGER"	March 3
S.S. "NIENBURG"	March 5
*S.S. "COBLENZ"	April 1
S.S. "PFALZ"	May 3
S.S. "HOLSTEIN"	May 26

HOMEWARD BOUND

S.S. "AACHEN"	March 23
**S.S. "DERFFLINGER"	April 1
S.S. "NIENBURG"	April 11
*S.S. "COBLENZ"	April 29
S.S. "PFALZ"	June 14
S.S. "HOLSTEIN"	June 25

*These steamers have accommodation for 96 passengers in the cabin-class and 140 Intermediate-Class passengers.

**S.S. "DERFFLINGER" can take 120 Cabin-Class and 140 Intermediate Class Passengers. Steamers and dates liable to altered or cancelled without notice.

For the passenger- boats through Tickets to London via Genoa, Paris or Antwerp/Rotterdam will be issued. (Only for Cabin-Class passengers.)

For PASSAGE and FREIGHT apply to
19/20 Kiukiang Road, Telephones C. 7203-09-10 Tel. Add: "NORDLLOYD"
MELCHERS & CO., General Agents.
7391

PACIFIC MAIL Steamship Co
"Sunshine Belt"

TRANS-PACIFIC PASSENGER AND FREIGHT SERVICE
FOR SAN FRANCISCO
(Via Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu)

S.S. President Cleveland	Mar. 1
S.S. President Wilson	Mar. 29
S.S. President Lincoln	Apr. 12
S.S. President Cleveland	May 10
S.S. President Pierce	May 24

FOR HONGKONG and MANILA

S.S. President Wilson	Mar. 12
S.S. President Lincoln	Mar. 25
S.S. President Cleveland	Apr. 22
S.S. President Pierce	May 6
S.S. President Wilson	May 21

Through tickets and Bills of Lading issued to all points in United States, Mexico, Central America, South America and Cuba.

TO EUROPE
TRAVEL THROUGH AMERICA
Via Honolulu and California
£120—£112—£110
Shanghai to San Francisco First Class
San Francisco to New York First Class
New York to Europe
First Class, Cabin Class, or Second Class.
With Choice of Rail Route San Francisco to New York and of Steamship Line New York to Europe
ATCHISON, TOPEKA and SANTA FE RAILWAY: Yosemite Valley, Southern California, Grand Canon.
SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY: Yosemite Valley, Southern California, Texas, New Orleans.
SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY: Central California, Lake Tahoe, Salt Lake.
WESTERN PACIFIC RAILWAY: Feather River Salt Lake and Rocky Mountains.
Railway representatives meet all steamers to arrange tickets, routing, sleeping accommodations and all necessary details.
Atlantic reservations made here for all European Ports and all steamship lines. Apply to

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY
Managing Agents U. S. Shipping Board
B. C. Hailie, General Agent
1B Nanking Road. Telephones: Central 5056 and 5057
Cable Address: "SOLANO"

STRUTHERS & BARRY

OPERATING U.S. GOVERNMENT SHIPS CARGO ONLY

From San Francisco and Los Angeles via Japan Ports:
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST SEQUANA" Mar. 20

For Hongkong and Philippine Islands Ports:
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST SEQUANA" Mar. 21

L. EVERETT, GENERAL AGENT. Japan, China, Philippine Islands, Indo China, Straits Settlements.
SHANGHAI OFFICE: M. E. CASE, AGENT, No. 16 Jinkee Road, TEL: C. 5617.
TELEGRAMS-"DIXSTRUTH"

TOYO KISEN KAISHA
T. K. K.
TO CALIFORNIA, VIA JAPAN PORTS AND THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS
Along The Pathway Of The Sun
For SAN FRANCISCO Via JAPAN PORTS & HONOLULU

Taiyo Maru from Kobe	March 14
Tenyo Maru from Nagasaki	March 26
Korea Maru, via Nagasaki	April 11
Shinyo Maru via Nagasaki	April 23
Sberia Maru via Nagasaki	May 8

FOR HONGKONG

Korea Maru	Mar. 30
Zaiyo Maru	May 4

Frequent sailings thereafter.

Representatives of American Railroads meet our steamers in San Francisco Bay and exchange Rail orders, make sleeping car reservations, transfer baggage, etc.

Through Bills of Lading issued to all points in the United States, Honolulu, Hilo, Mexico, Central America and the West Coast of South America.

Phones Central 3289 and 32 3. 11, Museum Road.

GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

N.Y.K.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM SHANGHAI

FOR JAPAN
Takeshima Maru ....Feb. 21
*Nagasaki Maru .....Feb. 22
Omi Maru .....Feb. 23
*Shanghai Maru .....Feb. 26
Nikko Maru .....Feb. 27
Yamashiro Maru ....Mar. 1

FOR BOMBAY
*Muroran Maaru .....Feb. 24

FOR SEATTLE VIA VICTORIA B.C.
Shidzuoka Maru .....Feb. 24
Yokohama Maru ....Mar. 13

FOR SOUTH AMERICA VIA Cape From Kobe.

FOR EUROPE
Yokohama Maru .....Feb. 22
Mito Maru .....Feb. 24
Hakozaki Maru .....Mar. 1
Hakusan Maru .....Mar. 8
†Delagoa Maru .....Mar. 9
Kitano Maru .....Mar. 22
†Call Valencia

FOR AUSTRALIAN PORTS
Tango Maru Mar. 12 from Kobe
Mar. 14 from Nagasaki
Mar. 19 from Hongkong

FOR NEW YORK via SAN FRANCISCO AND CANAL
*Lisbon Maru .....Mar. 23

FOR MANILA & HONGKONG
Kaga Maru .....Mar. 19

†Nagasaki Shanghai Express Service *For Cargo only.

Passenger Ticket and Enquiry Office located on ground floor (facing the Bund) of the Palace Hotel. Phone: Central 630.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

'Phone North 1155 (Private Exchange) Telegraphic Address "Yuson Shanghai".

Vereenigde Nederlandsche Scheepvaart - Maatschappy

UNITED NETHERLANDS NAVIGATION COMPANY

HOLLAND-OOST AZIE LIJN

(Holland East Asia Line)

(Member of the Straits, China and Japan Conferences) Regular four weekly service from Japan, China, Hongkong and the Straits to Rotterdam, Amsterdam, Hamburg and Bremen. OPTIONAL BILLS OF LADING ISSUED TO ALL UNITED KINGDOM PORTS. OPTIONAL AND THROUGH BILLS OF LADING ISSUED TO ALL NORTH CONTINENTAL PORTS. Sailings subject to alterations.

S.S. "Saparoea" Loading on about Feb. 27, 1924
S.S. "Mapia" do April 4, 1924
S.S. "Alderamin" do May 4, 1924
Passage to Rotterdam/Amsterdam Guilders 830.00 to about £70.00) 10 percent reduction for Missionaries.

HOLLAND CHINA TRADING CO.

Agents
No. 43 Kiangse Road, Shanghai. Telephone Central 4754.

Hugo Stinnes-Linien

OSTASIEN-FAHRT

PASSENGER SERVICE

Shanghai to Naples

Antwerp, Rotterdam and Hamburg via Hongkong, Manila, Straits, Colombo, Suez, Port Said

Sailings from Shanghai:

S.S. "ALBERT VOGLER" on or about the 24th March.
S.S. "CARL LEGIEN" on or about the 15th April
S.S. "ADOLF von BAEYER" on or about the 20th May.

Fares from SHANGHAI to NAPLES:

from £76 upwards

Through-tickets to London will be granted.

Only first class accomodation available

HUGO STINNES-LINIEN OSTASIEN-FAHRT
Tel. C. 6556 58 Kiangse Road

Travel-

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

AN IDEAL JOURNEY

Through the wonderful lands of Canada with its wealth of splendor and countless attractions, via

THE NEW ROUTE

(Separate and distinct from the C. P. R.)

which provides travellers with coaches and through trains of latest design and unexcelled cuisine. Through bookings in connection withany Steamship Line.

THE "NATIONAL WAY"

Serves principal cities in Canada and many in the U.S.A.

TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT
GLEN LINE BUILDING
Shanghai Tel. C. 6973

Steamers Arrived

February 19
Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo
Gran from Chinwangtao
February 20
Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo
Shengking from Ningpo
Yekishin Maru from Tsingtao
Arabien from Europe
Baluchistan from Seattle
Teiresias from Liverpool
Shantung from Hongkong
Angers from Kobe
Tehhsing from Hankow
Kutwo from Hankow
Nanyang Maru from Hankow
Wenchow from Hankow
Yokohama Maru from Seattle
Siberia Maru from Hongkong
Pres. Grant from Seattle
Seikyo Maru from Foochow
Fuji Maru from Dairen
Tungshing from Swatow
Hakushin Maru from Tsingtao
Tungchow from Tientsin
Shinsei Maru 6 from Japan

Steamers Departed

February 20
Kiangwah for Hankow
Changsha for Hankow
Tuckwo for Hankow
Siangyang Maru for Hankow
Esang for Tsingtao
Saikio Maru for T. Dairen
Tingsang for S. H. Canton
Shinfoo for Chinwangtao
Chusan for W. C. Tientsin
Oyama Maru for Port Arthur
Takaosan Maru for Wuhu
Wooling Maru for Hankow
Gokensan Maru for Wuhu
Takada for Calcutta via Japan
Eelbeck for New York
Gleniffer for Japan
Demodocus for Europe
Perim for Japan
Yalou for Japan
Szechuen for Tsingtao
Hsin Ningshao for Ningpo
Shengking for Ningpo

P. & O., British India, Apcar and Eastern & Australian Lines

(COMPANIES Incorporated in ENGLAND)

to Hongkong, Straits, Java, Burma, Ceylon, India, Persian Gulf West Indies, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Australasia (including New Zealand and Queensland Ports,) Red Sea, Egypt, Europe, etc.

P. & O. FORTNIGHTLY DIRECT ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS
(Under contract with H. M. Government)

Marseilles, London, Antwerp—via Hongkong, Straits, Ceylon, Egypt

Karmala	March 4	Kaiyan	Apr. 29	Kashgar	June 10
Naldera	Mar. 18	"Plassy"	May 13	Morea	June 24
Khyber	Apr. 1	"Kashmir"	May 20	Karmala	July 8
China	Apr. 15	"Khiva"	May 27	"Malwa"	July 22

*Also calls at Bombay

P. & O. to Bombay—via Hongkong, Straits & Colombo.	Naldera	Mar. 18
	"Sicilia"	March 24
B. I. to Calcutta—from Hongkong via Singapore & Penang	Tanda	Feb. 22
	Takada	Mar. 7
B. I. to Calcutta—from Shanghai via Japan Hongkong & Straits.		
P. & O. and B. I. Co.'s tickets interchangeable under certain conditions		
E. & A. to Sydney and Melbourne—from Hongkong via Manila, Townsville & Brisbane	Eastern	March 5
	Arafura	Apr. 2
	St. Albans	Apr. 30

All sailings and dates are approximate and subject to alteration without notice. WIRELESS ON ALL STEAMERS.

For Passage Rates, Handbook, Freights, etc., apply to
1 CANTON ROAD
Phones: General C. 169, Passage C. 2210, Freight C. 2069.
Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co, AGENTS.

M. MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. SERVICES CONTRACTUELS M.

Mail Steamers	Next sailing from Marseilles	Probable sailing for Kobe and Yokohama	Probable sailing for Marseilles
ANGERS			29th Feb.,
CHILI		23rd Feb., 1924	6th Mar.,
PORTHOS	24th Jan.	8th Mar., 1924	20th Mar.,
AMAZONE	7th Feb.	22nd Mar., 1924	3rd April
ANGKOR	21st Feb.	5th Apr., 1924	17th Apr.
PAUL LECAT	6th Mar.	10th Apr., 1924	1st May

1924

NEW REDUCED RATES OF PASSAGE
(Including table wine and free Doctor's attendance)

	1st CLASS		2nd CLASS	
MARSEILLES	A. £ 95	B. £ 89	A. £ 68	B. £ 62
LONDON	A. £ 101	B. £ 95	A. £ 72	B. £ 66

Through tickets to Paris and leading towns of Europe.
Re-booking abatements of 25% and 15% for return within 12 or 24 months. Special reductions to families and missionaries.

LIGNES COMMERCIALES (Cargo Boats)
DOCTEUR PIERRE BENOIT expected Shanghai about 10th March

Tel. 3260 Shipping Department Tel. 987 Passenger Department.
Offices: 5 French Bund.
CONSIGNATION TRANSIT REPRESENTATION

ROUND THE WORLD PASSENGER and FREIGHT

From SHANGHAI to HONGKONG, MANILA, STRAITS, COLOMBO, SUEZ, ITALY, MARSEILLES, BOSTON and NEW YORK THENCE PANAMA SAN FRANCISCO to SHANGHAI

THE NEW DOLLAR LINE STEAMERS

PRESIDENT HAYES	Feb. 29
PRESIDENT ADAMS	Mar. 28
PRESIDENT GARFIELD	April 11
PRESIDENT POLK	April 25
PRESIDENT MONROE	May 9
PRESIDENT HARRISON	May 23
PRESIDENT VANBUREN	June 6

AND EVERY 14 DAYS THEREAFTER.

S.S. VIRGINIA DOLLAR (Cargo Only)... Mar. 10
S.S. ESTHER DOLLAR (Cargo Only) ... Mar. 19

Cargo accepted for local ports of call
Through Railway Bills of Lading issued to the Principal Cities of the United States and Canada.

DOLLAR STEAMSHIP LINE

Freight Department, Robert Dollar Building, 3 Canton Road.
Passenger Department, Corner of Nanking and Kiangse Road,
Telephone Central 6371-2-3-4-5

Information For Mariners

THURSDAY, FEB. 21, 1924

The day tide are higher than the night tides, they are nearly equal at 2 o'clock.
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
0h. 39m.	8ft. 6in.	0h. 56m.	10ft. 1in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The day tides are higher than the night tides.)
Approximate rise, 1½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.	P.M.
11 53	

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Mon Rises	Mon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
6.34 p.m.	6.51 a.m.	6h. 38m.	5h. 50m.	5h. 53m.	6h. 35m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. February 30.29 in. 769.5 mm.

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
BNB	Jan. 29	Bee	Br. Gun-boat
ODW	Jan. 21	Cockchafer	Br. Gunboat
USB	Dec. 29	D. de Lagree	Fr. Gunboat
1 C	Feb. 15	E. Carlotto	Ital. Gunboat
EEW		Fushima	Jap. Gun-boat
ODW	Mar. 25	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
USNB	Feb. 1	Penguin	Am. C
ODW	Feb. 14	Pigeon	Am. Gunboat
JNB	Feb. 7	Tsushima	Jap. Cruiser
MCW	Feb. 7	Woodcock	Br. Gunboat

THE KOKUSAI UNSO KAISHA, Ltd.

(International Forwarding Co.)
Subscribed Capital ... Yen 10,000,000.—
Capital paid up ... ... Yen 4,800,000.—
Head office: TOKIO, (Yurakucho, Kojimachi Ku)
Foreign Branches
Head office: DAIREN, (Yamagatadori)
Branches:—In Japan:—Tokio, Yokohama, Kioto, Osaka, Amagasaki, Kobe, Shimonoseki, Moji, Kagoshima, Tsuruga,
" In Korea:—Fusan, Keijo, Heijo, etc,
" In Manchuria:—Dairen, Mukden, Chanchun, Yinkow, Shiheigai, Tieling, Harbin, Vladivostock.
Correspondents: All Railway Stations in Japan.
Shipping, Chartering, Warehousing, Stevedoring, Cargo Financing, Customs Brokers, Marine and Fire Insurance.
Shanghai Branch:
No. 9 Canton Road Tel. Central 8213 & 8310

O. S. K.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM SHANGHAI

FOR EUROPE. For London, Hamburg and Rotterdam.
S.S. "ALTAI MARU" ..... Feb. 26
S.S. "PARIS MARU" ..... Apr. 4
FOR NEW YORK. Via Japan Ports, San Francisco and Panama
S.S. "ALASKA MARU" ..... Mar. 18
FOR SEATTLE AND TACOMA via JAPAN PORTS and VICTORIA
S.S. "ARIZONA MARU" ..(Direct to Kobe) ..Feb. 22
S.S. "AFRICA MARU" .....(Direct to Kobe) ..April 2
FOR MORTH CHINA PORTS, TSINGTAO & DAIREN
S.S. "SEIKYO MARU" ....(Direct to Tientsin) Feb. 21
S.S. "FUKUKEN MARU" ....(Via Tsingtao) ..Mar. 2
FOR FORMOSA. For Keelung and Takao via Foochow.
S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" ..... Mar. 1
S.S. "SEIKYO MARU" ..... Mar. 9
FOR JAPAN.
S.S. "ARABIA MARU" ....(For Nagasaki) ....Feb. 23
S.S. "LONDON MARU" ....(For Kobe) .....Feb. 28

OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA

Shipping Office, 3 Canton Road ..... Phone Central 4234
Wharf Office, 26 Yangtsepoo Road ..... Phone East 208 and 212.

NORTH CHINA LINE / SOUTH CHINA LINE

North and South China Line

For Portland, via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST JESSUP" ..... Mar. 3
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST HIXTON" ..... Mar. 6
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST KADER" ..... Mar. 16
From Portland, Ore, U. S. A.
U.S.S.B. S.S. "PAWLET" ..... Feb. 18
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST JESTER" ..... Feb. 22
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST JESSUP" ..... Feb. 29
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST HIXTON" ..... Mar. 3
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST O'ROWA" ..... Mar. 8
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST KADER" ..... Mar. 14
For Portland, via Hongkong and Manila
U.S.S.B. S.S. "PAWLET" ..... Feb. 22
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST O'ROWA" ..... Mar. 10
For Portland, Ore U.S.A. Direct:
U.S.S.B. S.S. "WEST JESTER" ..... Feb. 25

Through Bills of Lading issued to New York, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Carleston, and Boston in connection with fast Intercoastal Liners.

For information as to Freight Rates, etc., apply to
C. L. Seitz, Attorney, L. R. Schinasi, Freight Agent.

COLUMBIA PACIFIC SHIPPING CO.

(Operating United States Government Ships.)
The China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ltd.
Agents.
Tel. C. 1464, 1465, 1466.
No. 6, Kiukiang Road, Shanghai, (5th Floor).

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUT AT	DAE
Feb. 24	9 p.m.	P. Jefferson	Seattle	Mar. 12
Feb. 25	3 p.m.	E. of Australia	Vancouver	Mar. 12

TO SOUTHERN PORTS IND IA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Feb. 24	8.30 p.m.	Antilochus	Marseilles	
Feb. 28	7 p.m.	Angers	Marseilles	Apr. 3,

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	9 p.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	8 a.m.	via Chita
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	9 p.m.	Tungshing
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Feb. 22	8 a.m.	Shuntien
Tsingtao	Feb. 23	11 a.m.	Luchow
Tsingtao & Dalny	Feb. 23	10.30 a.m.	Sakaki M.
Chefoo & Tientsin	Feb. 23	9 p.m.	Taksang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Feb. 24	8 a.m.	Tungchow
Tsingtao	Feb. 26	9 p.m.	Yusang
Dalny	Feb. 27	1 p.m.	Kwangse

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Swatow	Today	9 p.m.	Yatshing
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 p.m.	Yokohama M.
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 p.m.	Pawlet
Hongkong & Canton	Today	9 p.m.	Kwangsee
Hongkong & Canton	Feb. 22	8.30 a.m.	P. Grant
Amoy	Feb. 22	10 a.m.	Liangchow
Wenchow	Feb. 23	9 p.m.	Hsinfung
Foochow	Feb. 23	6 p.m.	Ningshin
Swatow	Feb. 23	11 a.m.	Shantung
Swatow	Feb. 23	9 p.m.	Loksang
Hongkong & Canton	Feb. 23	9 p.m.	E.of Asia
Swatow	Feb. 24	11 a.m.	Ningpo
Amoy	Feb. 24	11 a.m.	Yingchow

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	9 p.m.	via Trains
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	8 p.m.	Nagasaki M.
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Feb. 22	8.30 a.m.	P. Grant
Japan ports	Feb. 22	8 p.m.	Omi Maru
Japan ports	Feb. 23	7 a.m.	Chili
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Feb. 23	3 p.m.	E. of Asia
Japan ports	Feb. 25	8 p.m.	Shanghai M.
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Feb. 28	7 a.m.	Angers

Meteorological Report

February 21, 1924. SICAWEI

Sun rises today at 6.41
Sun sets today at 17.47

	Feb. 15 16 h.	Feb. 15 21 h.	Feb. 16 4 h.	Feb. 16 9 h.
(inches	30.33	30.39	30.39	30.44
Barometer (variation for 24 hours	+0.26	+0.29	+0.26	+0.17
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hours	+0.20	+0.12	+0.06	+0.05
Wind—Direction	NW	NW	NW	WNW
Wind—Miles per hour	24.9	8.7	10.6	11.8
Temperature (Fahr.)	36°1	29°7	26°6	34°7
Humidity %	46	62	87	47
Nebulosity (0-10)	1	8	0	0
Rainfall, inches	—	—	—	—

SICAWEI ARMBORD REPORT — February 15

		Mean 1923.	24 hrs. variation.	Previous average (50 yrs.) same period.
Temperature	(Min. 33°1)	30.28	+0.12	30.29
Temperature (Fahr.)	(Min. 34°2) (Max. 40°8)	37°5	−1°1	40°0
Rainfall since January 1 (ending midnight)		3.88	0.00	3.10

Ussuri Railway Traffic Office

3 Ezra Road, Shanghai
'Phone: C. 8411

Gives information about shipment of goods via Vladivostok to Harbin, Manchuria, Urga, renders assistance and facilities to the goods owners.

Shippers attention is drawn to the fact that

a) Ussuri Rly. has fixed the most favourable rates on the shipments via Vladivostok to Harbin and other stations of the C. E. Rly. Western and Eastern Lines.

b) Railway charges may be paid at Harbin, (Kommercheskaya str. No. 20), to our Head Office-Ussuri Rly. Commercial Agency.

c) Custom Examination of goods may be executed at Harbin.

d) Safety of goods can be guaranteed through Bank.

e) For transit goods Government's license is not required.

For particulars please apply to Mr. P. Sery-Siryk, Mgr. at the above address.

Weather Report

Feb, 19.—The high pressures are extending over our regions, while the depression takes to the sea, to the S. of Shanghai, Eastward or ENE ward. Cyclonic circulation over the Eastern Sea. Variable winds elsewhere. Fine weather in northern China: rainy or misty in our regions, with partial improvement in the afternoon. Foggy along the Annam coast.

Feb, 20.—Fine and somewhat colder weather. SEly breezes. Rather low and unsteady pressure.

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Szchuen for Tsingtao: Mrs. A. R. Russell.

Per C.N. s.s. Chusan for Chefoo: Mrs. N. Lewis, Mrs. Stonelake.

Per C.N. s.s. Tatung for Kiukiang: Miss Townsend; for Hankow: Messrs. T. T. Swancoat, Gnard, Goetz, Fohrer, G. H. McLachlan, W. Wallace.

NEW YORK-BOSTON via PANAMA CANAL

Fast Freight Service
S.S. DOCHRA MIDDLE MARCH
For Rates and Particulars apply to

THE BARBER STEAMSHIP LINES, INC.

Managing agents U. S. Shipping Board
Admiral Oriental Line, Agents.
3 Canton Road . . . . Tel. Cent. 6371-2-3-4

AUCTION SALES

Cables: "MOORECO" Shanghai ESTABLISHED 1874 Codes: A1, ABC 5th Ed. & Bentley's

L. MOORE & Co. LIMITED

Auctioneers, Valuers, Land Brokers
45 Kiangse Road Shanghai
42-44 Bristow Road, Tientsin

Phone { Auction Dept. Cent. 153 / Fire Loss Adjusting Dept. Cent. 6123 / Chinese Department. Cent. 6126

AUCTIONS

IN FRONT SALESROOM
On Saturday, February 23, 1924
Commencing at 10 a.m.
Excellent Household Furniture and Sundries

COMPRISING:—

Mahogany stained bevelled mirror door wardrobe, bevelled mirror back dressing table, chest of drawers, marble top washstand, night table, round table, flower stands, wooden double bedstead with spring mattress, Ice chest, Kitchen table, Pictures, Toilet set, Electric table fan, wardrobe trunk, Leather suit cases, Garden folding chairs, Gents' silver "Muller" and "Waltham" watches, Gents gold watch, Double spring couch and arm chairs, Mirror back sideboard, dinner wagon, dining table, and dining chairs, Pictures, Books, Glass ware, Crockery, desks, Book case, cloth stand, woolen socks, E. P. ware, Large sloping top desk, Folding typewriter desk, New French wall clocks, Enamelled iron bath tubs, Underwood typewriter, Remington typewriter, New Multiplex calculator machine, Russian white fox skins, Lady's moleskin coat and Sundries etc.

and

Commencing at 11 a.m. will be sold
SPORTING REQUISITES

Mostly the property of Mr. Wells Henderson, who is leaving for home.

Comprising:—

Guns, Rifles, Cameras, Wireless sets, Cinema Machines and Dogs, etc.

as follows:—

1 12 bore Hammerlers double barrelled ejector gun by The Army and Navy Co-operative Society, London.
1 12 bore double barrelled Hammerless gun by Frederick Williams, London.
1 12 bore double barrelled Hammerless Magnum Wildfowling gun by Frederick Williams, London, also quite new.
1 303 sporting Lee-Enfield Big Game rifle, suitable for Pig Shooting.
1 B. S. A. Air Rifle with plain and peep sights.
1 Pedigree Black Retriever Dog "Nick," 18 months, a hard worker and obedient, retrieves tenderly to hand from land or water.
1 Black retriever pup "Peter," son of the above, 8 months old.
1 3 H. P. Evinrude Inboard motor with Pump, and propeller.
1 Auto Graflex Eastern Kodak, in case with revolving back, Tessar Lens, stand, 3 double darkslides, film pack and film roll carriers, 3½ X 2½.
250 12-bore New season cartridges, Eley make in waterproof cases, 115 12-bore Mixed cartridges. 450 12-bore Eleys Magnum Cartridges for Wildfowling (new season). 2500 B. S. A. Pellets for Air Rifle. 1 London made Magazine for 300 12-bore cartridges, 1 Teakwood Magazine for 300 12-bore cartridges, 1 cabinet with Glass front to take 5 guns, 2 cartridge bags and one game carrier, 1 cleaning rod and gun cleaning impliments, 2 leather leg of mutton Gun case, 1 Motor boat liquid Compass in Teak case, 1 motor boat liquid compass for mounting on Bulkhead, 4 rolls of films and 6 film packs for same 1 thermos flask case with two flasks, 14 House boat wire screens, 1 red cover, 1 copper ventilator with deck plate, 1 flag socket, 3 deck covers, 5 boat cleats, 2 gasolene strainers, 2 padlock nasps, 1 bag solderless couplings, 1 bag solderless unions, 1 fly wheel belt rim and 1 cover.
1 Brass propeller, 2 iron sampan davits, 2 folding chairs,
1 Motor boat search light

The above are being sold for account of Mr. Wells Henderson.

Also will be sold

1 Cinema Machine and accessories with spare part (never used)
1 Kamm's Oxygen Generator and Carburetter Jet (new, never used) These are in specially made cases for travelling.
4 Cwts of Oxygen cakes (chlorate of Potash and Oxide of Manganese.
2 Cinema Films (New)
2 Pointer Bitches
1 32 cal. sporting rifle.
1 No. 3A Folding Brownie
1 "Ensignette" 2 K cameras
1 New crystal wireless telephone receiving set with tuning coil and Vario-coupler, complete with 2400 ohm. Kellogg double telephone set, suitable for wave-lengths up to about 600 metres.
1 Nearly new 4 valve vacuum tube wireless telephone receiving set, complete.
1 50 ampere-hour 4 volt Accumulator (Storage Battery) for energising the 4 Vacuum tubes in the above set.
1 Battery of dry cells for the above set.

SEVERAL PENS OF POULTRY

Including:—White leghorns, Rhode Island Reds, Black and white Bantams, Black Minorcas, Black Langshans.

IN FRONT SALESROOM
On Monday, February 25, 1924
Commencing at 10 a.m.
Stylish Dresses, Costumes, Coats, Hats, etc.

Comprising:—

Spring, Summer & Winter Dresses, Costumes, Coats, Hats, Leather Coats, Raincoats, Afternoon & Evening Dresses & Coats, Sequin Jumpers, Lingerine Blouses, French Corsets

and

Smart "Knox" Hats etc.

On view Saturday and Sunday.

Two Of The Finest Motor Houseboats In Shanghai

For sale by Auction at an early date
(unless previously disposed of by private treaty)

MOTOR HOUSE BOAT "ROMOLA"

with Dimensions: Length O. A. 55' Breadth NLD 14' Draft 3'6" and Tonnage 39.88
Breadth NLD 14' Draft 3'6" and Tonnage 39.88

The CONSTRUCTION, ACCOMMODATION and POWER (kerosene) EQUIPMENT is of the HIGHEST CLASS and CONDITION, and the boat is fitted with a "DELCO" Electric Light Plant.
Full Specification & Photos on application.

MOTOR HOUSE BOAT "UTOPIA"

The acme of comfort for an up-country shooting trip for two. Cruiser construction, and perfect in every detail. Accommodation Lighting and Power (new noiseless 24/36 H. P. 4 cy. type "Kelvin" Sleeve Valve Kerosene Motor)
Length O. A. 47' Breadth 10' Mean Draft 2'6"

THIS VESSEL IS ABSOLUTELY NEW
On account of Owner leaving for home both boats
MUST BE SOLD

Specifications and Photos and Cards to view on application.

L. MOORE & CO., LTD.
No. 45 Kiangse Road
Head Office.

W. FUNDER & CO.

NO. 40A KIANGSE ROAD

Auctioneers, Assessors, Adjusters, Arbitrators, Appraisers, & Valuators, Land & Property Brokers, Real Estate Agents and Coal Merchants.

Telephone: Central 1152.

Will sell by Public Auction in their Salesroom

On Thursday, February 21, 1924
At 10 a.m. (Forenoon)

Useful household & Office Furniture & Sundries, etc.

Comprising:—

Teak tapestry upholstered drawing room suite, centre table, overmantle, double spring Chesterfield couch and easy chairs, sofa, arm chairs, flat-top desks, office chairs, copying press, book-cases, typewriting machines, bevel-edged mirror back sideboard, cellarette, extension dining table and chairs, mahogany and dark stained bedroom suites, single wooden bedsteads, bicycle, baby's cot, embroidered table linen, mouth washing, perfume, clothing, sundries, etc.,

also

One hornless gramophone
A quantity of brass stair rods
Two Axminster carpets

Now on view.

W. FUNDER & CO.

40 A KIANGSE ROAD

Auctioneers, Assessors, Adjusters, Arbitrators, Appraisers and Valuators, Land and Property Brokers, Real Estate Agents and Coal Merchants

Telephone: Central 1152

Will sell by Public Auction in their Godown

On Friday, February 22, 1924
At 2.30 p.m. (Afternoon)

A large quantity of first-class Dutch paints in Drums of 28 lbs. each as follows:

1000 Drums white paint (composition) 1st quality.
500 Drums Dark Green Paint (composition) 2nd quality.
300 Drums Light Green Paint (composition) 1st quality.
200 Drums Dark Green paint (composition) 1st quality.

NOTE:—The above paints are well known, and reliable in every way and recently imported.

Further particulars at Auctioneers' offices:
40 A KIANGSE ROAD.

W. FUNDER & CO.

40 A KIANGSE ROAD

Auctioneers, Assessors, Adjusters, Arbitrators, Appraisers and Valuators, Land and Property Brokers, Real Estate Agents and Coal Merchants

Telephone: Central 1152

UNRESERVED SALE

Favoured with instructions from J. NOBLE, ESQ.,

Will sell without reserve at the Kalgan Dairy Farm
60 Chaoufoong Road Hongkew
On Friday, February 22, 1924
At 2.30 p.m. (Afternoon)

A lot of HEAVY MILKING COWS suitable for parties desiring their own milk, hospitals, dairy farms, etc., all specially selected from well known milking herds in Australia and specially imported for Shanghai.

They are all in good condition and they are being sold for no fault.

They consist of the following:

1 Pure-bred Ayrshire cow of especial value.
6 Grade Ayrshire cows in good condition and excellent milkers.
1 Grade Jersey cow in good condition and an especially good milker.
1 Heifer calf 14 days old
(6 are milking and 2 are springing due to calf soon)

NOTE:—The milkers are guaranteed to give an average of 30 to 40 lbs. (3 to 4 gallons) of milk per day and are now fed on local feed.

Also to be sold the following:

1 Grade cow in full milk
3 Pure-bred Holstein Heifers (black and white)

These Holsteins are first-class

Also to be sold the following imported sporting dogs, etc:

3 Pointers (2 trained).
1 Wire-hair fox terrier.
1 Police dog (male) 5 months old.

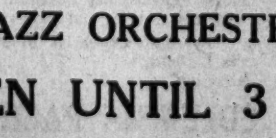
N. B.—Inspection invited before sale of all above livestock and sporting animals. Any further information willingly given.

Sundries to be sold

1 Trotting gig (imported) 1 set leather harness suitable for gig, 1 dog-cart (imported)
1 Ford car (2 seater with new accessories)
1 Maxwell car 4 cylinder, 5 seater.

A quantity of blankets (imported) suitable for cows, ponies, horses, etc.,
300 empty sacks, etc.,
The whole of above lots for sale at 60 Chaoufoong Road, Hongkew.

Wrigley's Gum
Chew it after every meal



The China Press *want Ads* Office: No. 17 Nanking Road

St. George's Cafe

217 Bubbling Well Road

Saturday, February 23rd, 1924

ONE NIGHT ONLY

SPECIAL CAUCASIAN CHOW

SHASHLIK AND TCHEBOOREKY

Specially Prepared by a Caucasian Cook

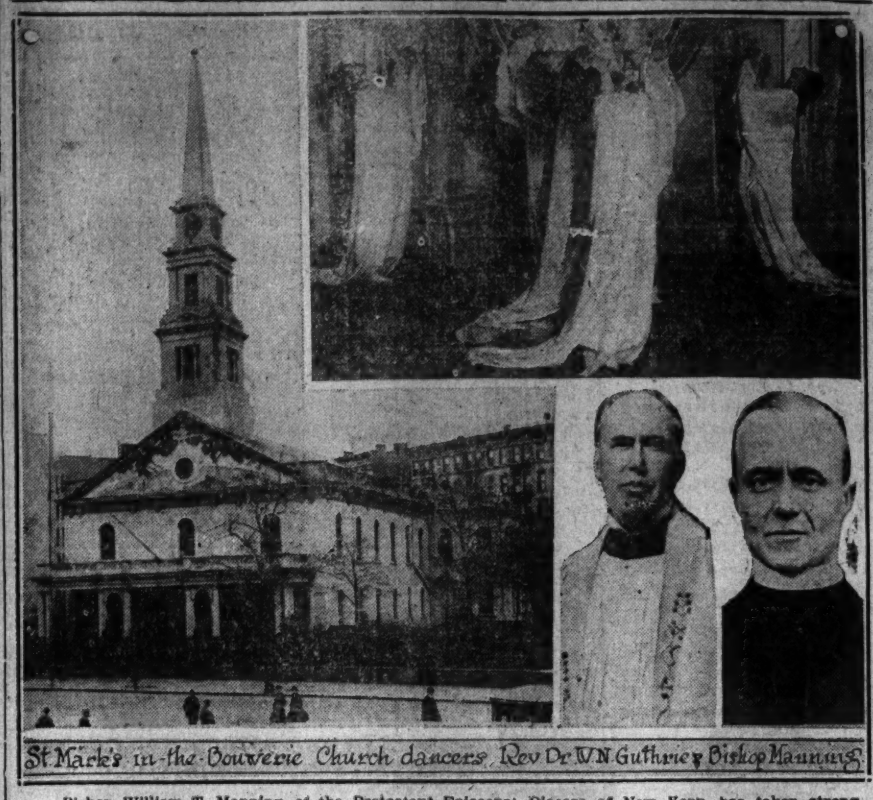
BEST WINES AND LIQUEURS

JAZZ ORCHESTRA

OPEN UNTIL 3 a.m.

Telephone: For Reservation To West 4418

Barefoot Dances In Church Shocks Bishop



St Mark's in-the-Bouwerie Church dancers, Rev Dr W N Guthrie & Bishop Manning

Bishop William T. Manning, of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of New York, has taken strong steps to stop the holding of barefoot dances in the parish house of the world famous St. Mark's-in-the-Bouwerie Church, of which Rev. Dr. William Norman Guthrie is rector. The dances were held under Dr. Guthrie's auspices at a recent church festival.

Passengers Arrived

Per N.S. s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo: Mr. H. B. Duff.

Per C.N. s.s. Shengking from Ningpo: Rev. S. D. Stucton, Sister Mary.

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangan from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Warner.

Per I-C. s.s. kutwo from Hankow: Messrs. Reid, J. H. Goold, Miss E. S. Avison, Mr. and Mrs. Pearson; from Kiukiang: Messrs. A. C. Coppin, J. Warry, S. R. Owen, Miss Owen; from Wuhu: Mr. John S. Lee.

Per T.K.K. s.s. Siberia Maru from Hongkong: Messrs. B. T. B. Boothby, G. P. Bostick, Mrs. C. Claxton and child, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Corbett, Messrs. D. L. Elliman, D. T. and G. Elliman, Dr. A. R. Esler Messrs. I. H. Evans, R. Farrant, J. Hino, Won Kai-lee, K. Mayejima, Kai Fook Mok, Mrs. E. Page, Mrs. L. Powell, Messrs. F. Reid Jr., D. E. Smith. For San Francisco: Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Sarwar, Mr. F. S. Sarwar, Mr. and Mrs. Weaver and infant.

Per Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant from Seattle: Messrs. Y. F. Chi, P. U. Jui, H. K. Lindout, John G. Pidge, A. W. Peake, Frank E. Pennoper, E. S. Savage, Mrs. Sue Chen Gum. For Hongkong: Mr. E. C. Hudson, Mrs. J. F. and Master S. Jordan, Mr. F. H. Tyson, Mrs. G. B. and Miss Paticia Tyson; for Manila: Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cavender, Mr. H. S. Everett, Mrs. H. E. Gumbart, Messrs. F. H. Jackson, Monroe W. Jacks on, E. H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. W. Kydd, Mrs. Margaret Moody, Miss Phoebe Tidmarsh, Mr. Paul F. Whiteacre, Mr. and Mrs. I. Weinstein.

Shipping Items

YANGTSZE PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangteen left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Pingwo left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Kungwo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Loksang is due in Shanghai from Pukow tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Yusang left Hongkong yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Swatow next Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Haean left Foochow yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Soochow left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai next Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Taksang left Swatow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung left Wenchow yesterday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai via Swatow next Wednesday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming left Tientsin yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Tungwah will leave Tientsin tomorrow and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo on Monday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Sakaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao tomorrow morning, and docks at the Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen on Saturday noon.

The K.M.A. s.s. Shinon (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Tsushima Maru is due in Shanghai from Yokohama and ports today, and docks at the Wayside Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Niigata Maru is due in Shanghai from Yokohama and Miike tomorrow, and docks at the Wayside Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki this morning, and docks at the Wayside Wharf. The steamer will leave for the same port at daybreak tomorrow.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Obra, from Calcutta, is expected to leave Singapore this morning, and arrives in Shanghai about March 24.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. and O. s.s. China was to leave London on Feb. 1 and arrives in Shanghai about March 11.

The U. and O. s.s. Kalyan left London at 4 o'clock Friday evening, Feb. 15, and arrives in Shanghai about March 25.

The N.D.L. s.s. Derflinger, from Hamburg for Shanghai, passed Port Said on February 4.

The Norwegian, Africa and Australia Line s.s. America, from Christiania via ports, left Brevik on February 13, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about April 1.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Meriones left Singapore on February 14, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on Sunday.

The Glen Line s.s. Radnoshire is due in Shanghai from London on March 3.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenogle is due in Shanghai from London on March 13.

The M.M. s.s. Chili will leave Shanghai for Kobe and Yokohama next Saturday, and the tender with passengers and baggagae for the vessel will leave the M. M. Jetty, French Bund, at 9 a.m.

The P. and O. s.s. Khyber, from London on January 18, is expected to leave Hongkong next Saturday at noon, and is due to arrive in Shanghai on February 26.

The S.E. m.s. Canton left Gothenburg on January 17 and is due in Shanghai on March 20.

The S.E. s.s. Ceylon, from Gothenburg, left Hamburg on February 7 and is due in Shanghai on April 8.

The S.E. s.s. Ferm, from Gothenburg, left Hango on Jan. 11 and is due in Shanghai next Monday.

The Glen Line s.s. Glenshane is due in Shanghai from London on March 27.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenapp arrived in London from Shanghai on February 12.

The M.M. s.s. Angers arrived in Shanghai from Kobe yesterday and docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf. The liner will sail for Marseilles at 7 o'clock Friday morning, February 29.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Paylet arrived in Shanghai from Portland on Monday and sails for the same port via Hongkong and Manila tomorrow.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Jester is due in Shanghai from Portland tomorrow and sails for the same port on Feb. 25.

The Dollar s.s. President Adams left New York on February 7, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via San Francisco and ports on March 25.

The Dollar s.s. President Hayes, from San Francisco on February 2, should arrive at Kobe from Honolulu tomorrow, and is expected in Shanghai on February 26.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Jessup is due in Shanghai from Portland on February 29, and saoils for the same port via Tsingtao, Takubar and Dairen on March 3.

The S. and B. s.s. West Sequana is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on March 20 and will sail for Hongkong and Manila the following day.

The Dollar s.s. President Garfield is due tto leave New York today, and is expected in Shanghai on April 8.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison, from Seattle on Feb. 14, should arrive at Yokohama next Tuesday, and is expected in Shanghai on March 2.

The Adl. Line s.s. President McKinley is due to leave Seattle next Tuesday, and arrives in Shanghai via Japan ports on March 14.

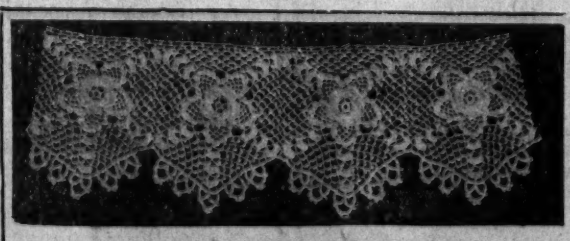
The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant arrived in Shanghai from Seattle yesterday and docked at the C. M. Central Wharf. The liner will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia is due in Shanghai from Vancouver on Saturday afternoon, and docks at the C. M. Lower Wharf at 2 o'clock. The liner will sail for Hongkong on Sunday morning.

The China Press

PUBLISHED EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR EXCEPT ON MONDAYS & HOLIDAYS
Home Office, Ford Building, Wilmington, Delaware, U.S.A.
Address all Communications to THE CHINA PRESS
Publication Office:
14, Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.
Editorial Offices:
14, Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.
New York Office .. World Building
Washington Bureau:
Metropolitan Bank Building
Peking Bureau:
61 Nan Hsiao Chieh,
Tokio Bureau:
Japan Advertiser Bld.
London Office:
36-8 Whitefriars St., E. C. 4
SUBSCRIPTION RATES
DAILY & SUNDAY Per Year $22.00
DAILY & SUNDAY 6 Months $8.50
SUNDAY, per Year $7.00
Mailed to outports, 50 cents per month, or Mex. $6.00 per year extra
Mailed to foreign countries the cost of postage will be added.
Street Sales—Daily 10 cents per copy: Sunday 20 cents per copy.
Entered at the Chinese P. O. for transmission with "special marks" privileges in China.
Telephone—Central 1431—all Departments
Telegraphic Address—NATPRESS SHANGHAI.

THE CHINA PRESS Incorporated, Delaware, Publishers



T. K. CHANG
SWATOW, CHINA
Manufacturing Exporter
LACES AND EMBROIDERY
Irish Crochet Lace—A Speciality
Guaranteed made of No. 80 Coats Thread
Samples and Quotations Mailed upon Request
WHOLESALE ONLY